



The *Wanderer*.com

PRESORTED
STANDARD
U.S. Postage
PAID
Rochester, MA
02770 - permit #14

Volume 17, Issue 7 - Number 782

Marion • Mattapoisett • Rochester

February 21, 2008



NEWS RELEASE



Date: February 1, 2008
For Release: Upon Receipt
Contact(s): Edward J. Haggerty, Sr.
Integrated Solutions
(508) 763-8919
ehaggerty@woodburyfinancial.net

**Recognition
Eagle's Circle**

Woodbury Financial Services Honors Edward J. Haggerty, Sr. With Induction into Prestigious Eagle's Circle

Edward J. Haggerty, Sr. is part of the top third of Woodbury Financial representatives

Rochester, MA – As a result of his exceptional success this year in the financial services profession, Edward J. Haggerty, Sr., a Woodbury Financial Services financial professional, has been elevated to Woodbury Financial Services' prestigious Eagle's Circle™. Edward J. Haggerty, Sr. has more than 33 years of experience in the financial services industry.

"What differentiates an Eagle's Circle member from other financial professionals," said Walter White, President of Woodbury Financial Services, "is the energy and devotion with which they work to help meet the financial goals of their clients."

The Eagle's Circle is Woodbury Financial Services' reward and recognition program, intended to honor those Woodbury Financial representatives who push their performance above the expected and into the exceptional. It is available to all registered representatives, but the distinction is earned by approximately the top 30%.

Woodbury Financial Services, Inc., part of The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. and winner of *Investment Advisor* magazine's 2006 Division IV Broker/Dealer of the Year award, is a broker/dealer with more than 1,800 independent representatives nationwide and 200 home office employees.

Securities offered through Woodbury Financial Services, Inc. Member FINRA and SIPC
P.O. Box 64284, St. Paul, MN 55164 – Telephone 800-800-2000
Woodbury Financial Services, Inc. and Integrated Solutions are not affiliated entities.

"You've Got A Friend"
Mattapoisett, Marion Seniors Find
a New Friend
By Kenneth J. Souza

Elderly and homebound residents in Mattapoisett and Marion have a new friend they can turn to in the person of Nancy Reed, who has just been hired by the two towns' Councils on Aging (COAs) to oversee and coordinate their Friendly Visitor Program.

The Friendly Visitor Program provides a trained volunteer who visits the homebound seniors in their home and spends about one hour a week just visiting with them, sharing a cup of tea, completing crossword puzzles, talking and interacting.

Filling an important void which has long been identified in the tri-towns' aging population, Ms. Reed said her job will be to solicit volunteers, help train them, pair them up with seniors in each town, and identify other seniors who may be in need of this outreach effort.

"We basically provide the service (and) each volunteer does one hour weekly (visiting) with people who

feel isolated or lonely or have limited family support," she said. "The coordinator position is new, so we're just kind of working through it. My job will be to solicit volunteers, train them and schedule visits."

Although they already have five volunteers



Above: (L. to R.) ORR High School Instructor Deb Stinson, Tabor Academy freshman and Mattapoisett resident James Mock, and ORCTV Executive Director Kim Miot pose inside the Media Room at ORR during a press conference to announce Mr. Mock as the winner of the recent ED-TV Logo Design Contest. Mr. Mock's winning design earned him a digital camera for his efforts. The new logo will be used to brand the soon-to-be-activated Channel 18 in the tri-towns and can be viewed online at www.orctv.org. (Photo by Robert Chiarito).



Above: Tri-Town Early Childhood Coordinator Jane Taylor accepts a \$350 donation from Sippican Historical and Preservation Society (SHPS) President Judy Rosbe. The donation will help make it possible to provide qualified teachers for the office's programs, which are dependent almost exclusively on grant monies.

On the cover: Sparky's Puppets will perform "Old Favorites" at Rochester's Memorial School on Saturday, March 8 at 10:00 am. Watch Grandmother teach the wolf some manners in "Little Red Riding Hood," give the "Three Little Pigs" some building advice, and help the little old lady who's baking a gingerbread man by giving her some make-believe ingredients. This event is sponsored by the Tri-Town Early Childhood Council. Admission is \$2 per person or \$5 per family. For more information please call the Early Childhood Office at 508-748-1863.

www.wanderer.com

In This Issue

Birthdays.....	48
Classified Advertisements.....	64
Crossword & Horoscope.....	58
Inner Views.....	62
Legal Advertisements.....	60
Local Tide Listing	73
Marion Selectmen's Meeting.....	16
Milestones	56
Movies & Entertainment	52
ORCTV Schedule.....	48
Police Log.....	54
Real Estate Transactions	73
Regional Lunch Menus.....	54
Sports.....	26
<i>On the Internet at: www.wanderer.com</i>	

Sail Away Studio

251 Mainst
Wareham
508-291-4144

Something Special

to Rid You

of the

Winter Blues!

Shop Hours: Tues. - Sat. 10-5

THE Marion General Store

748-0340 • 748-3349 (FAX)

Artisan Kitchen

Cinnamon Buns/Sticks

Scones - Muffins

Brownies Mini Pies

Quiches

Raspberry Cream

Cheese Crumb Buns

Order cakes & pies
for any occasion
(2 days notice).



New York Bagels
are back!

See our butcher for
fresh cut meats, cold
cuts and poultry

Old Fashioned Pride and Service Since 1843

Design-Solutions@comcast.net



Mattapoisett, MA

Ph & Fax : 508.758.1385

Architectural Design Service for Homeowners & Contractors

JJ Oliveira - Designer

High Quality Work - 25 Years Exp.

New Homes Remodeling Sundecks

Additions Renovations Kitchens & Baths

"Need plans for permits, why pay more?"

available in Marion and three onboard in Mattapoisett, Ms. Reed said they are actively seeking to build up those numbers and she encourages people to get involved.

"We're basically looking for someone who enjoys the elderly, who wishes to contribute service to their town, and who feels rewarded by doing this type of work," she said. "I can tell you you're going to receive much more than you give. We're looking for someone who appreciates the elderly and the wisdom of age and realizes that people who are confined to their home are people of great wisdom, they just can't get out for some reason."

Although no previous experience is needed and there are no age requirements, per se, Ms. Reed said she preferred volunteers to be at least 18 years of age and available during weekday hours to participate in the program.

"We're looking for people who can give us one hour a week and commit to the program for at least one year," Ms. Reed said. "We provide the training for every volunteer. You're really just there to listen, converse with them, play cards or games, or sometimes help them write a letter or note to a loved one ... whatever you could do for them. They just really need to have social interaction."

Over the years Ms. Reed noted the local COAs have gotten suggestions from people who work for the towns' police, fire and EMS departments to start such a program, noting that when they get calls to go to the resi-

Hair Affair & Yarns

358 Arnold Street, New Bedford, MA 02740

(7 blocks east of Buttonwood Park)

Everyday Sale Items

Range from 20%-80% OFF!

Hours: Mon. 10-3, Thurs. 9:30-8pm, Fri. 9:30-6pm, Sat. 8:30-5pm

508-997-6677

Spring Yarns are Arriving!

Panino's

Fresh baked pies, dinner rolls, gourmet pastries, & cakes.

Full Breakfast, Lunch & Deli

Open 7 days a week 8am-5pm

Delivery available Mon.-Fri. 11-2pm

**508-758-2700 • At the Ropewalk, Route 6, Mattapoisett
www.ropewalkmall.com**

dence of a homebound senior, they've seen how just a few moments of interaction can bring such joy to them.

As a former Registered Nurse and someone with a Master's degree in counseling, Ms. Reed is certainly attune to the needs of local seniors, and her recent work with an area Hospice service made her the perfect choice to take charge of this unique outreach program.

"I've worked with geriatric people for over 15 years and I've always had a great appreciation for the elderly since I was a young girl," Ms. Reed said. "Hopefully I'll be able to give all (the volunteers) some tools to work with."

Funding for the Friendly Visitor Program is provided jointly through the Mattapoisett and Marion Councils on Aging and the service is run under the purview of COA Directors Susan Schwager and Vanessa Williams. Despite recent budget constraints, Ms. Reed said the program will pretty much operate on a "shoestring" and is really needed in an area where the elderly population keeps escalating each year.

"I think getting it done under the auspices of the town(s) is important," she said. "There's just going to be a growing need for this in the coming years. You have a couple and the husband or wife dies and the person remaining tends to just lack the willpower or the stamina to go out ... these are the people we want to reach out to."

Those interested in finding out more about the Friendly Visitor Program can contact Nancy Reed di-

Professional Nail Care

Hawaii Nails

•Walk-ins welcome or call for an appointment

•Gift certificates available

•10% OFF bridal parties & proms

WEDNESDAY SPECIAL

Regular Manicure/Pedicure \$28

THURSDAY SPECIAL - Full Set of Acrylics \$20

508-992-8881

110 Main Street, Fairhaven

Mon.-Fri. 9:30-7pm, Sat. 9-5pm



**Winter Sale
Continues**

Spring Merchandise Arriving

PANACHE

Clothing AND ACCESSORIES THAT MAKE YOU FEEL Great!

33 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

(508) 758-9622 Mon.-Sat. 9:30-5:30

www.ropewalkmall.com



Behaviorally this color is the hardest color for your eye to focus on, thus helping to stimulate memory. Because of this quality it was the original color for Highlighters and Legal pads. A learned association of this color is warmth and sunlight, making it a favorite Color for rain gear.

Mary Lou Manley
508-758-2814 508-259-1398
Color Consultation & Painting Services

Paint Adventuress



"Helping open
the door to your
dream home."
Cell: 508-989-2776
Home: 508-758-3727
Rick Bousquet



rectly at 508-748-1759 or call the Mattapoisett COA at 508-758-4110 or the Marion COA at 508-748-3570.

Double DARE

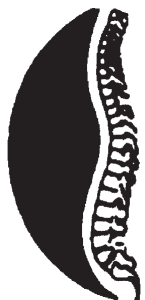
DARE Program Resumes in Rochester

By Robert Chiarito

Early adolescence can be one of the more trying periods of a person's life. The changes that one goes through physically, intellectually and emotionally combined with peer pressures and the need to be accepted at this age can lead children to confront some very adult decisions. It is also an age when parents are often the last person a child will go to ask uncomfortable questions about topics ranging from bullying to illegal drugs. In many communities there is little or no safety net to catch kids as they reach the awkward age when they no longer feel like children and are not yet adults.

The Town of Rochester recognized the need to give young people a resource that could act as an educational tool and give the students in the sixth grade an adult who could serve as a mentor and a listening post whom they could turn to with many of life's tough questions.

The resource is the national DARE program and the mentor is Rochester Police officer Kevin Flynn. Officer Flynn has been working with the students through the DARE program, or Drug Abuse Resistance Education, for the past three years. He said, "The money for the program comes from the community policing budget. It's a drug education program that goes beyond teaching kids about drugs. The program also is an antiviolence and bullying program and it deals with things like cigarettes alcohol also. We get the kids in the sixth grade at Rochester Memorial School and the program continues for the kids when they go over to the junior high."



Mattapoisett Chiropractic

Jeffrey G. Swift, D.C., D.A.B.C.N.

- Post Graduate Faculty, University of Bridgeport, Connecticut
- Board Certified Diplomate of the American College of Chiropractic Neurology
- Member North American Spine Society

109 Fairhaven Rd • Suite D, Mattapoisett, MA

508-758-3666

Now associated with Hawthorn Medical
535 Faunce Corner Road, N. Dartmouth
508-985-0007

CREATIVE WELLNESS

thoughtful • creative • problem solving

Anxiety • Depression • ADD/ADHD
Grief/Loss • Trauma • Transition

CONNECT • CONSIDER • CREATE

Elizabeth Owens Davis, LICSW
508-758-4600

EDWIN L. PERKINS Co., Inc. PLUMBING & HEATING

Reg. # 8967

508-758-3568

- Serving the Greater Mattapoisett Area Since 1935
- Licensed Men

21 North Street, Mattapoisett

For the RMS sixth graders the program lasts for twelve weeks and includes about 80 students.

When asked if the kids simply listen to the lessons or actively seek out his assistance, Officer Flynn said, "At first they are a bit intimidated by the uniform but they tend to warm up to me and come to me with their questions and concerns after the first few weeks."

The national DARE program was founded in 1983 in Los Angeles and has proven so successful that it is now being implemented in 75 percent of our nation's school districts and in more than 43 countries around the world. Prior to entering the DARE program, officers undergo 80 hours of special training in areas such as child development, classroom management, teaching techniques, and

*Featuring the
HunterDouglas
Alustra™ Collection*

CUSTOM WINDOW PRODUCTS, Inc.

**The Professionals in Interior
Window Treatments**
**Providing "Stress Free and Painless"
Window Fashions Since 1983**
508-758-3122
**Call to visit our Showroom
or schedule an In Home Consultation**
www.CustomWindowProducts.com

**Custom Draperies & Accessories • Silhouette®
Duette® • Shades & Blinds • Remote Control
Shutters • Skylight & Sunroom Shading
Design Consultation • Repairs**




HunterDouglas
Light Can Change Everything




Ginny Rivenburg
Certified Design
Consultant

Dave Rivenburg
Certified Professional
Installer




TATLOCK GALLERY



36 North Water Street, New Bedford, MA *beside the Whaling Museum* 508-993-1192 www.tatlockgallery.com

Fine Art Beautiful Gifts



Etched flutes by George W. Saulnier. Oil Painting by Cynthia Getchell.

NOW
OPEN!



CARDOZA'S
WINE, SPIRITS, AND

FOOD
EMPORIUM

THE BEST DINING
IN THE SOUTHCOAST
is Ready to Take Home!

DELICIOUSLY PREPARED FOOD
INCREDIBLY LOW PRICES
UNBELIEVABLE SELECTION

*Fine Entrees • Pizza • Salads • Panini
Pasta Dishes • Family Meals*

BROUGHT TO YOU BY CARDOZA'S

DELIVERY AVAILABLE / FULL CATERING MENU

OPEN MON-SAT 9AM-10PM • SUNDAY 12PM-6PM

Executive Chef Derek Arruda

464 STATE ROAD, ROUTE 6
JUST WEST OF THE NORTH DARTMOUTH MALL

508 996 0011

WWW.CARDOZAS.COM

CARPENTERS LLC

Home Improvement/Deleading Contractor
Roof stain/mold removal services

Fully Licensed & Insured

508-802-8193

SPECIALS - Special pricing on all
jobs booked by 3/31/08
Free Estimates

GC lic#093186 HIC lic#156182 DLC lic#001884

www.carpentersllc.com

steve@carpentersinc.biz

Serving the South Shore

communication skills. Forty hours of additional training are provided to DARE instructors to prepare them to teach the high school curriculum. The program is designed to children the skills needed to recognize and resist the subtle and overt pressures that cause them to experiment with drugs or become involved in gangs or violent activities.

In addition to the resource officer and classroom lessons, DARE also provides young people with a website that they can turn to for further information that is provided in an interactive program that engages them through puzzles, music and games and makes the learning process a non-threatening experience. The website offers suggestions and ideas to keep kids from getting bored and slipping into risky behavior in their idle time.

If you would like more information about DARE you can find them on the web at www.dare.com.

Learning Logo

Tri-Town Education Channel Logo Adopted By Robert Chiarito

As Old Rochester Community Television (ORCTV) and the Old Rochester School District continue to make strides towards realizing the goal of providing the tri-towns with a dedicated education access channel, the two organizations recently held a contest among area students to design a logo for the forthcoming ED-TV channel. The contest, which was open to students from throughout the district, as well as students attending Tabor Academy and Upper Cape Tech, was won by Tabor Academy freshman and Mattapoisett resident James Mock.

The winning entry, which can be seen on the ORCTV website, was chosen from among thirty entries submitted to the Education Task Force, a group of educators from tri-town area schools as well as ORCTV Execu-

WHALE'S TALE *Scrimshaw*



*Scrimshaw • Ivory Carvings
Nantucket Lightship Baskets
Nautical Gifts • Ship Models*

Al Doucette, P.O. Box 1866, Mattapoisett, MA 02739
(508) 997-4233

Financial Independence. Wealth Empowerment.

Millions of people dream about financial success, many even take steps to achieve it, but few reach their goals. Why?

"Money Myth-Conceptions!"



Discover common **MONEY MYTHS** about accumulating wealth, such as:

- The best way to pay off a house early is to apply extra principle to your mortgage.
- Home equity is a safe investment.
- Qualified retirement plans (IRA's, 401[k]'s, etc.) are the most attractive retirement plans.

Learn the **TRUTHS** about wealth-enhancement, such as:

- Why you may be trapped by IRA and 401(k) contributions--*free yourself now!*
- How to avoid the \$25,000 mistake being made by too many Americans.
- Become your own "family bank" and take control of your assets!
- How to transfer assets to your heirs--tax-free!

Tuesday, Feb. 19th 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Hampton Inn, 1 Hampton Way, Fairhaven, MA

or

Thursday, Feb. 28 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Marriott, Residence Inn, Faunce Corner Road, Dartmouth, MA

These 2 hours
may be the most
valuable of your
life. Don't miss
out!

Reserve a spot by calling 508-998-3221. SPACE IS LIMITED!

Presented by:



Denise J. Boisvert
& Associates, Inc.

New Bedford, MA



and



Bill Reidy

Certified Mortgage Planning Specialist
Easton, MA

We're more than a
Curtain Store!
Handmade Clay Beads
by "Viva!"



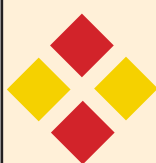
Spring Styles Have Arrived!

The Curtain House

63 Alden Road, Fairhaven

508-993-2869 • Open Mon.-Sat. 9:30-5

(from Mattapoisett: Take Rt. 6 west to Fairhaven, take a right at Dunkin' Donuts, follow 100 yards, take a right into "Fairhaven Center for Business")



Tile Craft and Carpet

"Do It Right The First Time"



- Porcelain & Ceramic Tiles
- Large Variety of Natural Stones
- Carpeting
- Hardwood
- Glass Tile
- Luxury Vinyl

Choose a single color, or match shades for a more subtle look, or use contrasting colors for a dramatic effect. Found only here at Tile Craft with over 3000 varieties to choose from. Stop in and our staff will be glad to help you with any of your wall and floor covering needs.

508-999-0988 • tilecraft1@comcast.net

Come visit our showroom located in
The Fairhaven Business Center
67 Alden Road, Fairhaven, MA

Mon.-Fri. 9-6, Tues. 9-3, Sat. 9-1

We accept



CASTLE ANTIQUES

34 Barstow St. • Mattapoisett, MA. 02739

Off Route 6 behind the Mattapoisett Fire House



We carry those
Special Gifts that will
last a Lifetime!

Phone: 508-758-4770

Hours: Thurs.-Sat.: 10AM-5PM Sun: 12 NOON-5PM

E-Mail: maryinhopewell@aol.com

tive Director Kim Miot and ORCTV board member Susan Hayward McAvoy. The logo contest was judged in stages with the winner was chosen from a group of three finalists.

In describing his process for coming up with the winning design, Mr. Mock said, "I only knew the basic premise of the contest when I started my design. I knew that it was going to be an educational channel so I was thinking that a water molecule would be fitting. I came up with the basic premise and built on it until I had my final design." For his efforts Mr. Mock was rewarded with a new digital camera kit complete with all of the accessories.

The task force has been working with ORCTV to develop both rules and plans for the ORCTV educational channel since Ms. Miot became Executive Director in September of last year. The first order of business was to renovate and re-equip the old ORCTV studio in the basement of Old Rochester High School for use as an educational facility and class space for student use. That facility, under the direction of Old Rochester Regional High School instructors Deb Stinson and Lee Shionis, has been operational since January.

The studio was brought up-to-speed with equipment and technical assistance provided by ORCTV as part of their agreement with the school district. ORCTV no longer resides at the high school and is still in the process of renovating and equipping their own studio at the sta-



AUTO PARTS

Exclusive Filter Rebate For AAA Members

Get Cash back when you purchase air and oil filters

Buy 1 Cabin Air Filter get a \$3.00 rebate

buy 2 NAPA Gold Oil filters get \$5.00 back

buy 1 NAPA Gold Oil and 1 NAPA Gold Air and get \$5.00 back

44 Howland Road
Fairhaven, Ma 02719

508-992-9710

2 Main Street
Acushnet, Ma 2743

508-995-6272

Chimney Sweep Professionals

Joe Podrecca 508-758-4238

Chimney Sweeping & Inspections

Masonry Restoration

Water Sealing & Flashing Repair

Chimney Relining

Chimney Caps & Dampers

Insurance & Home Buyer Inspections

Nationally Certified Sweep CSIA #6148

Member National Chimney Sweep Guild

Massachusetts Chimney Sweep Guild

Professionally Trained & Equipped

In operation since 1997

tion's new location in the Captain Hadley House at 345 Front Street in Marion. Ms. Miot expects the station's studio to be completed during the spring and for the educational channel to be up and running on Comcast channel 18 before the beginning of summer. In the interim, ORR educational programming can be seen on ORCTV public access channel 9 on every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:00 am and 4:00 pm and each Saturday at 3:00 pm.

The organization will also be introducing a new dedicated government channel for the Town of Rochester at about the same time the educational channel comes online. When the two channels begin to broadcast it will bring the total number of channels under the ORCTV umbrella to five. That number will include the regional

EURO at Phoenix Hall

24 Center Street, Corner of Main Street, Fairhaven

508-992-1714 email: eurshp@aol.com

www.fairhavenvillage.com



New
for
Spring!

Sun. 11am-4pm, Mon.-Wed. 9:30-5:30

Thurs. 9:30-8:00, Fri. & Sat. 9:30-5:30

Don't miss out on the GOLD RUSH!

**Take advantage of the
highest GOLD market in history!**

**Turn old, broken, out-dated, or
unwanted gold jewelry into CASH.**

You'll be shocked at what it's worth!

**PERRY JEWELERS
508-993-9600**

**154 Faunce Corner Road
North Dartmouth, MA**

G.H. DUNN INSURANCE AGENCY

ESTABLISHED 1927



Mattapoisett

55 County Road • 508.758.3731

Buzzards Bay

260 Main Street • 508.759.3132

Wareham

191 Main Street • 508.295.0005

David W. Dunn, President
Michael P. Lamoureux, Vice President

Visit www.ghdunninsurance.com for information about:

HOME • AUTO • BUSINESS • LIFE • BOAT

Coastal Chiropractic Health

Why are you still living in ***PAIN***?

There could be a *quick* and *easy* solution!



Dawn E. Mello, DC • John T. Mello, DC

(508) 748-3224

525 Mill Street, Marion

Massage Therapy Available!

(508) 264-8083

Terry Allan, LMT

PERRY FARM PATCHWORKS

The Quilt Shop

Save Energy, Use a Quilt

Hours: Tues.-Sat. 10-5, Wed. Eve. 7-9, Sun. 12-4, Closed Mon..

196 Perry Hill Road, Acushnet 508 995-1555



public access channel 9, a government channel for each of the three towns and the new ED-TV channel 18. All of the ORCTV channels will also be carried via the new Verizon fiber optic cable system that is now being rolled out to subscribers in the tri-town communities. Residents of Rochester need to check with Verizon and not town officials to find out when the system will be available in their neighborhood.

Updates on all of the cable access happenings in the tri-towns can be found at www.orctv.org. Ms. Miot has been working feverishly to create a new and more comprehensive website of everything that is happening at the station, updating the site on a daily basis. If you would like to see an example of Mr. Mock's winning logo, just log onto the site and look for the "e" or educational links provided on the site's home page.

School Report

All the World's A Stage at ORR

By Olivia Mello

Old Rochester Regional High School's drama production team has been busy at work preparing for the school's next and upcoming performance of *Evita*.

Evita first began as an album that was released in 1976. Within the next couple of years, several different elements of the musical were reworked and made ready for the stage. In 1978, *Evita* was opened in London's West Wing and subsequently brought to Broadway the following year. Now, 30 years later, it has made it's way into our very own local high school!

Evita tells the story of Juan Perón, his rise to power as President of Argentina and the important role that his second wife, Eva Perón, engaged in during this time of his life. The leading role of Juan Perón is being played by ORR senior Tucker Johnson with Chelsea Nectow,



tel: (508) 758-4642
6 Baptist Street
Mattapoisett

**BLUE MOON
DOG GROOMING**

owner - Holly Gifford White

conveniently located in the village
call for an appointment today!!

Couples Therapy

Lewis I. Prouty
MEd, MSW, LICSW

74 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739
(508) 758-2464

a junior at the school, as Evita. Senior Daniel Andrews will be acting the part of Ché, who is the story's narrator. Matthew Kaloplastos will be playing the role of Agustín Magaldi, who is responsible for bringing Evita to Buenos Aires, while Kate Florio is acting as Perón's mistress. The entire cast, chorus and band is made up of 90 students who have been working hard towards creating a magnificent and dramatic performance for its audience.

The musical will be executed on four different days, being March 27 through March 30. The Thursday, Friday and Saturday performances will begin at 7:30 pm. Sunday's presentation will serve as a matinee, as the show will be put on at 2:00 pm with ASL (American Sign Language) interpretation. Information about ticket sales will



Peter P. Briggs
Insurance Agency, Inc.

Home Owners Auto Life Boats Business Insurance

19 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA

508-758-6929

David A. Perkins - Andrew P. Wingate

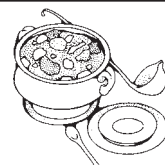
Nick's Homemade Pizza

- **Variety of Fresh Pizzas**
- **Dough Made Daily**
- **Serving Beer & Wine**
- **Gift Certificates Available**

Open 7 Days a Week 11am-10pm
Sunday until 9pm

Quality Service Since 1976

***Warm up with a
bowl of soup!***



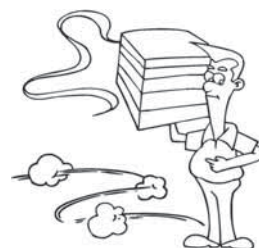
**CLUB SANDWICHES, SALADS and a
VARIETY of SUBS, WRAPS & POCKETS**
Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad

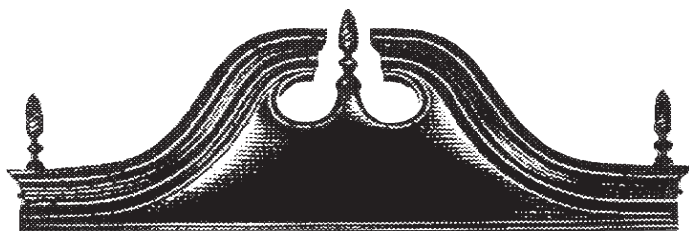
DINNERS

Lasagna	Eggplant Parmesan
Chicken Parmesan	Veal Parmesan
Chicken Finger	Chicken Wing

Served with tossed salad and garlic bread

**For Fast Service Call
508-758-2277
or 508-758-3337
27 County Road (Route 6)
Mattapoisett**





Marion Antiques Shop

**CERTIFIED APPRAISALS
INTERNET AUCTION SERVICE
ON-SITE ESTATE SALES & AUCTIONS**

ANTIQUES PURCHASED TOP PRICES PAID FOR:

ORIENTAL RUGS • WICKER
GLASS AND CHINA • LINENS
FINE FURNITURE • CLOCKS
PAINTINGS AND PRINTS • SILVER
OLD TOYS AND DOLLS • JEWELRY
DECOYS • BOOKS • POSTCARDS
MILITARY • NAUTICAL ITEMS
AND OTHER COLLECTIBLES

**ROUTE 6, MARION
508 748-3606 • 1-800-698-3606**

FRANK McNAMEE

MEMBER: NEW ENGLAND APPRAISERS' ASSOCIATION

THE YOGA STUDIO

"Breathe ~ Relax ~ Feel ~ Allow"

YOGA for a Healthier You

Monday	9:30am	easy yoga stretch
	5:15pm	Pilates with Marianne
	7pm	Yoga with Donna
Tuesday	9am	Yoga with Donna
	4:30pm	Yoga with Dana
	6:30pm	Yoga with Joelene
Wednesday	9am	Yoga with Joelene
	7pm	Yoga with Donna
Thursday	8am	Gentle yoga with Donna
	4:30pm	Gentle yoga with Donna
Friday	8am	Yoga with Dana
Saturday	8:30am	Yoga with Donna

New Sessions Begin in March
Drop-ins Welcome!!!!

EASY YOGA STRETCH

6 weeks March 3-April 21 \$54.00
Visit our Website www.tri-townyoga.com

8 County Road Mattapoisett
508-330-0989 www.tri-townyoga.com



Closed for Vacation.

See you on Tuesday, March 4th at 7am
67 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett
508-758-9408

be announced in advance so that everyone will receive a chance to check out the show.

Paul Sardinia, who's the main man behind the scenes of the ORR drama productions, is also involved in the school's Diversity Club, which may be hiding behind the curtains too much itself. This is a reminder to all students interested that the Diversity Club is for both high school and junior high students. Meetings are held every Wednesday in Paul's Planning Room in the high school or in Ms. Ochoa's classroom in the junior high. The club is a great way to get involved in the school's cultures, discuss issues that kids are being faced with every day and maybe even meet new people with similar or different backgrounds than your own.

For those high school students who are just becoming age-eligible for their driving permit or license, Martin Auto School will be stationed in the cafeteria on Monday, February 25, and Tuesday, February 26. There will be sign ups for the next Driver's Education class session beginning on Monday, March 3. Further information can be received there during lunches, as well as in the front office, for those who it may concern.

As for students who drive their cars to school, the administration has recently had to remind them of the high school parking lot rules. Those who park in the teacher's parking lot, which is the first one after entering the driveway up to the gymnasium doors, are asked to only put their cars along the row closest to the track and

Beaver Tree Works Winter Special

7% OFF ALL Services

Removal - Trimming - Stump Grinding
Certified Arborist - Seasoned Firewood

Don't wait for the spring rush, winter is a great time for tree work!

FREE Estimates • Fully Insured

Great Time
to Call!

Leave It to Beaver
Supply & demand gets you the
best price in winter months,
please take 7% off that.

508-763-5008



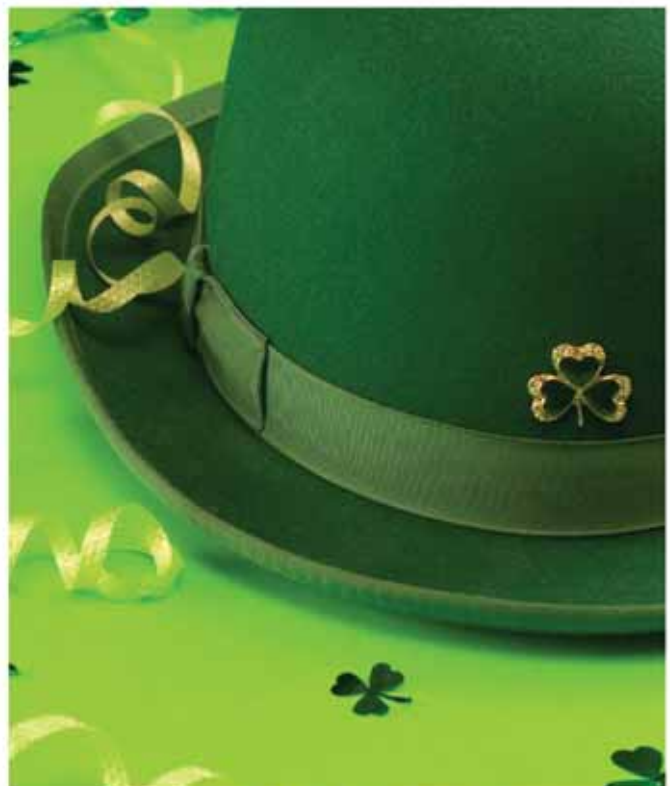
Irish Social

*with a Musical Performance
by The Heartstrings*

You're invited to Sunrise of Dartmouth for an Irish Social with a Celtic and American Irish musical performance by "The Heartstrings." Celtic and Irish reels, songs and jigs with violin, accordion, guitar and vocals will be featured. Enjoy your favorite Irish tunes along with scones, tea, coffee and assorted desserts.

While you're here, meet our team, tour our community and find out what we do to make Sunrise at Dartmouth a place seniors are proud to call home.

RSVP for you and a friend today!



EVENT DETAILS

Irish Social

*with a Musical Performance
by The Heartstrings*

Friday, March 14th, 2008

2:00p.m.

**RSVP to Kathy Givens
at 508-999-0404.**



Sunrise of Dartmouth

508-999-0404

274 Slocum Road, Dartmouth, MA 02747

Assisted Living • Alzheimer's Care

For more information and a FREE online newsletter, visit
www.sunriseseniorliving.com

*A Stateroom Key from the
Fall River Line Steamship
Plymouth*



*Over the past 30 years we have been asked to
frame some amazing objects.
Some are valuable.
Some are unique.
And many are extremely sentimental to their owners.*

*This month we will display
some of these unusual and personal items.*

What may we frame for you?

★ **ROGERS GALLERY** ★
RIVER ★ SHOPS

508 758-3641

Open Mon.-Sat 9:30- 5:00 Route 6 Mattapoisett

Visit us at www.surroundings-rogersgallery.com

WINGS N' THINGS



February is
National Bird
Feeding Month!
We're celebrating
National Bird Feeding Month
with **10% OFF**
all Bird Feeders!

Route 6, Mattapoisett • 508-758-9669

fields. The other spots are reserved for teacher parking only.

Marion Selectmen's Meeting

February 19, 2008

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order in the Marion Town House on Tuesday, February 19 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Roger Blanchette. Also present were Selectman Andrew Jeffrey, Selectman Jonathan Henry, Town Administrator Paul Dawson, and Secretary Helene Craver.

The board first approved the minutes of the January 22 meeting and then voted to appoint Harbormaster Michael Cormier to serve on the Bird Island Lighthouse Restoration Committee as Chairman pro tem in the wake of Charlie Bradley's recent resignation.

The board then considered an article to be placed on the upcoming Annual Town Meeting warrant to adopt a recall provision for the Town of Marion.

"This is something I think should be done, I'm in favor of it," Chairman Blanchette said.

"My opinion is I don't think we need a recall process," Selectman Henry said. "There is a provision to remove an elected official from office for malfeasance, (but) if somebody is that bad then the ballot box usually has the final say and people just don't get re-elected."

"I agree with (Selectman Henry)," Selectman Jef-

•SALES •RENTALS
•LESSONS •REPAIRS

- A complete selection of band instruments & accessories.
- Affordable rental programs
- Top quality repairs

THE
Symphony
MUSIC SHOP



Since 1962

508 996-3301



94 State Rd. (Rte. 6), North Dartmouth

**40 years of
Bringing Families
to Music**

*Hours: Monday, Wednesday,
Friday: 9-6, Tuesday, Thursday 10-8,
Saturday 9-4*

www.symphonymusicshop.com



Roby's



For All Your Energy Needs

Over 60 years servicing customers

Propane Gas, Heating Oil

www.robysgas.com

Rtes. 58 & 495, W. Wareham

800-642-7121 508-295-3737



Decorative Heating Units Supplied

By

South Coast Hearth & Patio

2235 Cranberry Hwy. W. Wareham

508-295-6888 / 888-272-6888

Gas & Wood Stoves

Gas & Wood Inserts

Gas Fireplaces

Gas Logs

Complete service for gas
unit installation from on
site visit to final town
inspections.

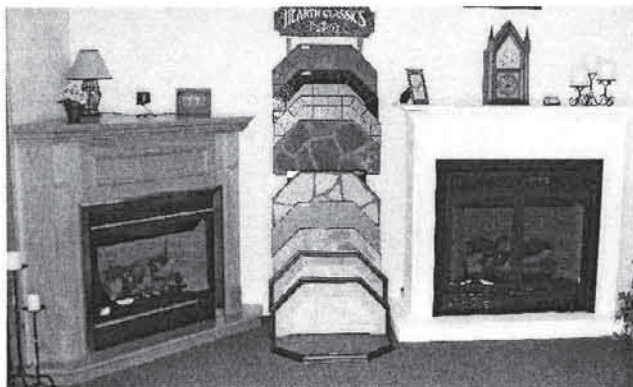
We carry:

Vermont Castings

Kozy Heat

Lexington Forge

Mendota & Empire.



Open Mon-Fri 9 am to 5 pm

Sat 9 am to 4 pm



Warm your
hearth & home.



Everyday Prices

Fleishmann's Whiskey 1.75 **\$12.99**

Bacardi Rum 1.75 **\$22.99**

Dewars 1.75 **\$32.99**

Absolut Vodka 1.75 **\$29.99**

Kahlua 750ml **\$16.99**

Excelsior Wines 750ml **\$7.99** 2 for **\$15**

Crane Lake Wines 750ml 2 for **\$10**

Cook's Champagne 2 for **\$12**

Cavit Pinot Grigio 1.5 **\$10.99**

Captain Morgan 1.75 **\$26.99**

Fleishmann's Gin 1.75 **\$13.99**

PREMIUM LIQUORS

& FULL REDEMPTION CENTER

1926 Purchase St. New Bedford 508-999-4724	355 Huttleston Ave. (formerly Shaw's Cove) Rte. 6, Fairhaven, MA 508-990-8724
--	--



CRANE BROOK INTERIORS

Interior Decorating
Special Events & Party Planning

Mary Cunningham, Interior Decorator 508-763-2206

frey said. "Every once in a while somebody makes headlines, but if you look at the number of elected officials in each town across the state, I think it's very very minimal. This has already gone before the town last spring and it was voted down ... I just don't think I can support a warrant article for it."

With that, the board voted against placing the article on the warrant via majority vote.

Under the Town Administrator's report, Mr. Dawson began a discussion which took up the remainder of the meeting to first consider whether the Marion Emergency Medical Service (EMS) should be merged with the Marion Fire Department and also whether billing for Marion EMS calls should be turned over to a third-party agency as per an inquiry which began last November.

In meeting with Selectmen Chairman Blanchette, Mr. Dawson said they have prepared a final report with their recommendations for the board.

"There have, as you know, been a number of rather public distractions and issues that have been raised in the media ... which have turned our focus elsewhere," he said. "That being said, I think we have done a lot of digging, a lot of investigating, a lot of uncovering and we've received a lot of information from a lot of people."

In reading from the final memo prepared by Mr. Dawson, Chairman Blanchette noted: "We were asked to examine whether or if the town should consider the consolidation of EMS with the Marion Fire Department. In addition, we were asked to examine the possibility of instituting a third-party billing system. Lastly, we were asked to make recommendations for the board's consideration."

"This charge, while straightforward on the face of it," Chairman Blanchette read on, "has become complicated by recent reports and allegations in the press."

Mattapoisett Housewrights Building Co.

FULL SERVICE BUILDING COMPANY:

New Homes • Renovations • Additions

Custom Builders

Lic.#031265 HIC#112260 • Est. 1986

23 Tinkham Lane, Mattapoisett
(508) 758-9707



Residential/Commercial - Interior/Exterior
R.J. ZIINO PAINTING
Professional Service at Competitive Pricing
 Fully Insured - Rochester, MA
 Cell 508-930-3656 • Ph 508-763-9850

These reports have served not only as a distraction from our directive but also as a mean-spirited attack on a town department that has served our community for many years. These reports are filled with innuendo, half-truths and absolute inaccuracies.

"We intend to address these issues, not with 'stone cold silence,' but with information that is factually correct. However, as these reports have been a distraction, we will first address those matters that the board has requested we examine."

In short, the report recommended that the Marion EMS and Fire Departments should not be consolidated at this time, but planning should be undertaken in the near future to "ensure the future viability of each of these operations."

"I've gone on record previously as being in favor of this idea, but I also concur completely with the recommendations that you've made," Selectman Henry said. "It's mainly because of staffing constraints that I would consider making the move to (merge the EMS with Fire Department)."



Animal Advice

Jay Gould, DVM

Dental Disease

My dog's breath is pretty bad. Is there something that I can feed him to make it smell better?

Elevate your dog's upper lip and look at his molars. They should be white and shiny. If they look brown near the gums you should schedule an appointment with your veterinarian to discuss dental cleaning. Dirty teeth and the infected gums that usually come with them often cause a foul odor, pain and the potential for tooth loss. Every time your dog chews he may experience a bacterial shower into his blood stream which can affect his heart valves, kidneys and other organs. Have the teeth cleaned and discuss ways to prevent dental disease in the future.

You can contact Dr. Gould at 508-758-6400 or visit our website at MattapoisettAH.com

FRESH

Time to Freshen-up
your winter linens...

Just drop them off
and we will clean

all your comforters & blankets.

It's as easy as that at...

Mayhew's Valet Cleaners

"A Full Service Dry Cleaning Co."

3 convenient locations to serve you.

32 County Road,
Mattapoisett
758-4272

4 Corners
Marion
748-2353

2076 Acushnet Ave.
New Bedford
995-4413

CLEAN



The Mannequin's Menagerie Quilt Shop

fabrics, notions, patterns, placemats, runners & quilts



*Keep Your Baby Warm & Cozy On One Of
Our World Famous Handmade
Baby Quilts!*

Lifestyles Plaza
270 Huttleston Ave. Rte. 6
Fairhaven, MA 02719
508-990-1311

Hours:
Tues.-
Sat.
10-4

FOR ALL YOUR LANDSCAPING MATERIALS AND EXCAVATING
NEEDS

Arne Excavating

arneexcavating@comcast.net
508-989-6575

All Calls Returned

- *Septic System *Sewer Connections *Demolitions
- *Driveways *Foundations *Trucking
- *Snow Plowing *Stump Removal *Land Clearing

Fully stocked landscape supply yard

Pick Up or Delivery

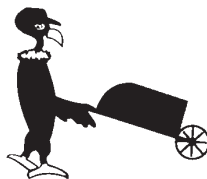
Location: 338 Converse Road Rear Marion MA
Open Monday thru Friday 8-5

Office # 508-748-2060

- *Mulch *Loam *Crushed Stone
- *Sand *Fill *Retaining Wall Stone

Free Estimates P.O. Box 1045 Marion, MA 02738
Licensed and Insured

BUZZARDS BAY LANDSCAPING



508-748-0577

Mulching - Aeration

• Patios & Walks • Yard Cleanups

Landscape Design • Yard Maintenance

12 yrs Golf Course Maint Exp.

B.S. Stockbridge/UMass

FULLY INSURED - ROBERT S. REICHERT, OWNER



"The only concern I have is not that a decision is made to either join the two or not, I think the report should bring us to that conclusion," Selectman Jeffrey said. "But I think if we don't set up a timetable at this time, we're going to lose that opportunity. I think it should be studied as you suggest so we look at all sides."

With that, the board voted to not merge the Marion EMS with the Fire Department at this time, but agreed to set a timetable to study the option further within the next six months.

As for the third-party billing, the report recommended the town commence with hiring an agency to handle billing for all EMS calls to collect an projected "\$180,000 in annual revenue" for this service. While some resisted the billing idea because they feared it might preclude someone with an inability to pay from seeking medical service, Chairman Blanchette stressed that "all patients (would) be treated regardless of their inability to pay."

The Town Administrator will be responsible for drafting collection and billing policies for the board's adoption.

Selectman Henry suggested they set a July 1 target to begin billing with the commencement of the next fiscal year. "We won't know how much we'll collect until we begin the process," he added.

"I absolutely agree that we should go along with this and I also agree that everyone should have access to

EXPERIENCE THE SIMPLE ELEGANCE



CUSTOM FRAME DESIGN AND GALLERY.
The Ropewalk. 33 COUNTY RD. MATTAPOISETT, MA.
(508) 758 - 6600 Mon. - Sat. 9:30-5:30

GUARD OIL

Burner Service Available

508•992•3030

508•758•2OIL (2645) 508•748•1OIL (1645)

HOME HEATING OIL

Automatic
**CAR
WASH**
\$4 OFF

Any Wash

To receive discount at Car
Wash Hit # Key and then

Type 99990 -

Code is Valid 24/7!

Expires 2/29/08.

ALL-PRO
Oil Change
& Car Wash

**Celebrating Our
Two Year Anniversary!**

**\$19.⁹⁵ Oil
Change
with a
Free
Automatic
Car Wash**

Includes Tax & Disposal Fee. Discount
Does not apply to All Vehicles. Up to 5
Quarts of Conventional Motor Oil.

Coupons may not be combined with
any other offer. Valid with coupon only.
Expires 2/29/08.

Full Repairs and Brakes - Full Time Mechanic Available

**110 Alden Rd.
FAIRHAVEN, MA.**
(Next to Jakes Diner)



508-992-3033

S. K. GRENIER



LANDSCAPE & BACKHOE SERVICE

Lawn Installation

Walkways ~ Patios

Retaining Walls ~ Irrigation

Shrubs ~ Trees

Small Ponds & Fountains

Night Lighting

Synthetic Putting Greens

Lawn Maintenance

Computerized Landscape Design

Machine Service ~ Site Work

ALL CALLS RETURNED!

Licensed 508-763-8525 Insured
BOOK EARLY CALL TODAY!

Nancy Moore MSW, LICSW
Psychotherapist

P.O. Box 233
Marion, MA
Tel. 508-748-2331
Fax 508-748-3758

64 Industrial Park Road
Plymouth, MA 02360
Tel. 508-830-1630
Fax 508-830-0768

this," said Selectman Jeffrey. "The billing should not have anything to do with the service being provided."

"The Marion EMS as people know it is not going to change," Mr. Dawson added. "The billing procedure will, but certainly we don't want to have anyone fear calling 911 because of their inability to pay."

Lastly, the report set out to correct some of the "assertions, allegations, and false information that has been printed in the press" regarding Marion's EMS Department.

"We have nothing but the greatest respect for the Marion EMS Department and all of its wonderfully talented professionals," Chairman Blanchette read. "They have provided high quality service to the residents of Marion for many years. That they have had to endure this attack on their credibility, their integrity, their judgment, and even their physical ability to perform their jobs is a sad testament to the power of the media."

Referring specifically to articles published in *The Tri-Town Observer*, Chairman Blanchette cited a headline claiming the Marion EMS Department had violated its license more than 500 times.

"We want to assure the residents of Marion that the Marion EMS Department did not violate its license," Chairman Blanchette said. "It simply did not happen. It appears that the reporter (and likewise the editor) relied heavily upon the information it obtained from Fred Fowler, the Executive Director of the Southeastern Mas-

CUSTOM WINDOW TREATMENTS

to fit your style



- Draperies & Sheers
- Roman Shades, Balloons
- Cornices
- Designer Valances
- Duvet Covers, Dust Ruffles
- Bedspreads, Comforters
- Pillows, Table Rounds

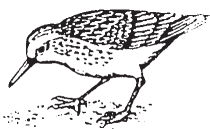
HUNTER DOUGLAS

Blinds, Shutters, Shades and more....

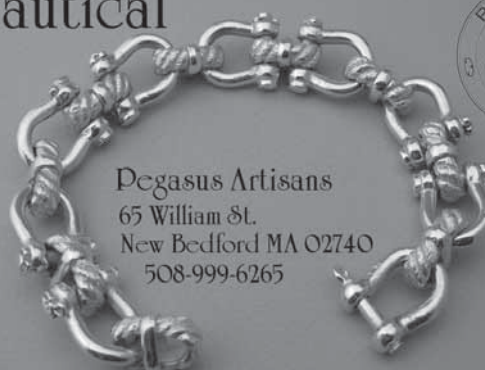
SANDPIPER INTERIORS

40 Brandt Beach Avenue,
Mattapoisett, MA

758-4847 Call for Appointment
Monday-Friday 9 to 4, Saturday 9 to 12



Nautical



Pegasus Artisans
65 William St.
New Bedford MA 02740
508-999-6265

pegasusart@verizon.net www.pegasusartisans.com

NEW CONSTRUCTION
ADDITIONS
RENOVATIONS



**SOUTHCOAST DESIGN
& CONSTRUCTION, LLC**

508-758-2474
<http://www.southcoastdc.com>
cmm@southcoastdc.com

Christian McCullough / Michael Bichsel - Owners

sachusetts EMS Council. That information has proven to be inaccurate. Mr. Fowler, to his credit, has acknowledged that certain information provided to the media was incorrect. He has admitted his error and issued a formal apology."

Upon setting the record straight, Chairman Blanchette concluded: "Any media outlet has an obligation to its constituency to report the news in a fair and impartial manner. In the present case we recognize that, to a limited extent, *The Tri-Town Observer* was relying upon information it received that has proven to be incorrect. We think that the newspaper owed it to its readers to check and double-check its information. Relying upon incomplete information, (Editor Robert Slager) has under-

TOWING AVAILABLE

**O'Gara's
Auto Service, Inc.**
*Foreign and Domestic
Repairs*

New Saturday Hours: 8-5pm!

Saab & Volvo Oil Changes
\$22 + tax
 Includes: up to 5 qt. oil, filter disposal, and
 resetting service light. Cartridge filter extra.

Hours: Mon.-Sat. 8-5

(508) 748-1951
828 Point Road, Marion



HILLER FUELS INC.

147 Front St., Marion, MA 02738

SALES & SERVICE

**HEATING OIL
HEATING SYSTEMS
BURNER CONTRACTS
TANK INSTALLATION
TANK INSURANCE
BUDGET PLANS
FREE ESTIMATES**



24 HOUR SERVICE
(FOR HILLER CUSTOMERS)

LP Gas
Filling
Station

508-748-0020

Servicing Mattapoisett, Rochester, Wareham, N. Acushnet, Marion



JAKE'S DINER

508-990-7786

104 Alden Road
Fairhaven, Massachusetts

**Come Have Breakfast
or Lunch with Us!**

**•Check Out Our Friday Night
"Seafood Specials"**



*Homemade Desserts
& Fried Ice Cream*
Under New Management

MEDAESTHETIC

D A Y S P A

1402 TUCKER ROAD
DARTMOUTH, MA 02747

(508) 991-2999

THE AREAS ONLY FULL SERVICE MEDSPA & SALON



Come in and experience
our new line of
mineral make-up.

MINERALOGIE® **m**

With this ad, receive a free make-up
application - a \$25 value.

Call ahead & make an appointment

LASER SKIN HAIR MESSAGE NAILS BODY FACE

Visit www.medaestheticpartnership.com for a full menu of services



BILL DUMAS

"Service is My Most Important Product!"

Buying or Selling? Complimentary
consultation of market values & trends.

START PACKING!

Alferes Realty 508-758-2230

taken what can only be described as a crusade against the Marion EMS. It is our hope that, finally confronted with factual information, he will take a higher ground."

Mr. Slager then asked for a moment to rebut what was said regarding his publication's recent coverage of the Marion EMS issue.

"Our coverage of the Marion EMS controversy has irked many powerful people in Marion," Mr. Slager said, reading from an update he claimed was posted earlier that day on his publication's website. "We have called for the department to be disbanded after the EMS repeatedly violated its license. That has put the EMS in full scramble mode in a desperate attempt to retain its autonomy. Now the department, with the help of its political pawns, plans to unveil a letter from Fred Fowler, the Executive Director of the Southeastern Massachusetts EMS Council, in which he claims he provided *The Observer* 'misinformation' that we used in one of our recent stories. *The Observer* has received a copy of this letter and, frankly, it makes no sense whatsoever."

"(Mr.) Dawson will likely also try to attack *The Observer* during the meeting," Mr. Slager went on. "He will say that the Marion EMS did in fact keep logs of their activities, and that the reason we were charged \$163 was because we wanted information not generally included in EMS logs. That would be a lie."

"I've been called a liar before, but it's never been proven," Mr. Dawson said. "I'm not sure Mr. Slager could say the same thing. Let me set the record straight: Marion EMS did not and has not violated its license. Plain and simple. The fact of the matter remains, regardless of who likes it or not, I didn't ask Mr. Fowler to admit he had made an error. He did it on his own because he realized he made a mistake. That happens."

Mr. Fowler, who remained sitting quietly in the

Matt Silva, Owner • Fully Insured

(508) 748-2160



SILVA'S
Landscape Service

*Tree Work • Snow Plowing • Stone Walls • Walkways
Patios • Complete Landscape Service
Lawn Installation & Maintenance*

*Bobcat Service • Lots Cleared
Now Accepting Credit Cards*



We're Having A Spring Garage Sale

Where You Can Buy Something You Really
Need: A GARAGE!



Is His Castle



The Orleans, \$26,700*



The Vineyard, \$27,800*



The Nantucket, \$23,800*



The Chatham,
\$18,600*



Custom Carriage House



The Eastham,
\$19,800*



Custom Attached



Custom Garage w/Porch



Custom 3 Car w/Shed Dormer

* Starting prices without some options pictured. Site excavation, foundation & slab quoted separately

CUSTOM & PANELIZED GARAGES TO SUIT YOUR NEEDS

Garages • Additions • Homes

Homestead Garages

Serving New England For Over 25 Years

Middleboro & Peabody, MA

www.HomesteadGarages.com

(508)947-3091



Charles Cann
Artistic Woodworking

Handwork
Turning
Carving
Interior trim
Gilding
Windows
Doors
Cabinets
Mantels
Signs
Antique restoration

**

Member of a Co-op that builds custom kitchens, interior and exterior millwork, stairways, exhibits and environmental signage.

*

41a Main street, Marion (508) 748 3843

FAIRHAVEN GAS

134 Huttleston Ave. (Rt. 6)

Fairhaven, MA 02719

508-992-0305

A & A Auto

79 Marion Road (Rt. 6)

Mattapoisett, MA 02739

508-758-9500



***Free Towing (3 mile radius) with repair work at any of the above locations.**

Call Alex Sarkis 508-509-2292

BURR BROTHERS BOATS, INC.

A Full Service Boat Yard



Complete Marine Store

SPECIAL ORDERS WELCOME

~ Safety Equipment ~ Rope ~

Fasteners ~ Interlux Paint Dealer

New England Rope ~ Sunfish

Seitech Dollys ~ Yamaha ~ OMC

~ Honda ~ Mercury ~

309 FRONT ST., Marion

(508) 748-0541



back throughout the meeting, was then invited by Chairman Blanchette to speak.

"At no time has anyone ever requested a letter from me," he said. "After finding additional information, I did discover I was wrong and I feel horrendous for the suffering I have caused the Marion EMS. My information that was originally provided was the best information and best knowledge I had at that point. It was incorrect and remains incorrect to this day. That's why I issued two letters — one to (*The Tri-Town Observer*) and one to the Marion EMS."

"These new kids on the block here don't understand Marion at all," said resident and EMS volunteer Eunice Manduca. "They came in just wanting to make waves."

The board then voted to go into Executive Session at 8:41 pm.

Sports Shorts

By Robert Chiarito

The Old Rochester Regional High School Girls Basketball Team may be peaking at just the perfect time as the Lady Bulldogs have won seven of their last eight games, including their last three in a row as they head towards the post season tournament on a roll. On Tuesday, February 12 the Ladies were led by Sarah Coucci's game high 13-point effort as they topped Martha's Vineyard Regional, 46-38, on the Bulldogs home floor. ORR trav-

Reigning Cats 'n Dogs



Pet Sitting Service Where Pets Reign Supreme

In home service tailored to your pet's needs:

- Dog Walking
- Bird Feeding
- Workday
- Pet Sitting
- Vacations
- Overnights

NAPPS Certified
Certified by American
Red Cross in Pet
First Aid & Pet CPR
Bonded • Insured

Michelle Roy 508-992-9845
www.ReigningCatsNDogs.biz



"Award-Winning Photographer"

HILARY WOOD Photography

Weddings • Events
Pets • Family
Maternity • Children

Customized Edible Photo Favors Available!

508-946-2212
www.HilaryWoodPhotography.com

eled to Seekonk on Thursday evening, February 14, and gave the Warriors a 57-20 thrashing. **Coucci** again led a balanced Bulldogs' scoring attack with her game high 9-points. With one regular season game remaining ORR is 13-8 overall on the year with a 10-6 mark in SCC play.

The Old Colony Cougars Boys Basketball Team wrapped up their regular season with a wins in each of their final two games. On Tuesday, February 12 the Cougars downed Norfolk County Aggie, 61-21. Old Colony was led by the duo of **Ken Gaspar** and **David Hill** who each scored 12 points in the road win. The Cougars, playing their final home game of the year, ran past Bristol County Aggie 79-36 on Friday evening, February 15. **Matt Pacheco** scored 22 points in the regular season finale to

Cathay Temple



Seafood Specials on Friday!

Entertainment
Thursday -
Ann Austin
& John Harrison
Friday, Feb. 29
Craig D
Sunday -
Ken Richards

*Don't Forget
our Blue
Plate
Specials
Every
Wednesday*



*The Best Deal
Around!*

Winter Martini List!

Flat Screen TV
Come Watch the Game!

All Dinners Available without MSG

24 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett
195 to Exit 19, take a right on Route 6
We are on the left.
508.758.2361
Open Wednesday thru Sunday at 4pm, Closed Mon. & Tues

EXCEED YOUR GOALS And Feel Your Best In 2008!

ANY AGE, FITNESS or EXPERIENCE LEVEL



"When you create a teaching and learning atmosphere that encourages positivity and fun, it becomes contagious and extends into the families of your students. Our son is truly enjoying every minute of his martial arts classes and so are we!!"

- Faith O., Nexus Parent



Adult Classes
Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu,
Thai Kickboxing
Mixed Martial Arts,
Fitness Classes



**FREE JUMP
START
SPECIAL!**

1 Private Lesson & 2 Group Classes

CALL TODAY!

NEXUS
MARTIAL ARTS

508-295-5427

WWW.NEXUSMA.COM

CONVENIENTLY LOCATED JUST
OFF 195 IN THE WAREHAM
INDUSTRIAL PARK



"You Can Count On Us"

Taxes • Bookkeeping

Fully Computerized

Quick Books Professional Advisors

We Cater to the Small Business Person

119 North Street • (508) 758-4430
Mattapoisett, MA • FAX (508) 758-4728

Life Insurance

Made Simple and Affordable

- Many Top-Rated Companies to Choose From
- Term Life Insurance Plans
- 10yr - 15yr - 20yr & 30yr Whole Life Final Expense Plans at Low Rates
- Complimentary Quotes Available Upon Request

JOSEPH A. O'NEIL
Independent Life Insurance Broker
4 Brook Drive, Fairhaven
508-993-1195

Offering
Exceptional Service
in the
Family Tradition!

978-307-0520 v/mail
508-758-3838 office



Dawson
REAL ESTATE



Patrick Dawson

lead all scorers. The Cougars finished the regular season with a record of 12-8 overall and with a 10-5 mark in the Mayflower Small League. Old Colony will find out who their opening round opponent will be in the MIAA Division 4 South Sectionals on Friday, February 22.

The **Old Colony Ladies Basketball Team** rounded out their season schedule by getting into the win column once again downing Avon High School, 44-43, on Valentine's Day. **Jen Boadman** led Old Colony in scoring with 12 points in the contest as the Cougars scored the winning bucket with under twenty seconds to play. The Ladies almost made it two in a row as they pushed Bristol County Aggie to overtime before falling 61-58 in their season closing match-up on Friday, February 15. The Lady Cougars were led by **Ashley Cambell's** 19-point effort as the team ended the year with a 3-17 mark. The Lady Cougars' record was not indicative of the team's overall effort as they showed a lot of class and heart by giving their best effort each time they took the floor.

The **ORR Boys Basketball Team** split their two games over the past week beginning with a 78-64 loss at Martha's Vineyard Regional on Tuesday, February 12. **Jeff Rezendes** led the Bulldogs with 14 points in the loss. Friday, February 15 was **Senior Recognition Night** for the Bulldogs who came out firing on all cylinders as they downed Seekonk 66-59 in their final home game of the regular season. **Jeff Rezendes** had a team high 22-points followed by **Tristan Miller's** 11 to lead the Bulldogs in



Lighthouse Learning Center

79 North St. Mattapoisett

Preschool and exquisite child care, children 1 month-Kindergarten
NAEYC Accreditation License 8117254
Rolling Admission/Summer & Fall 2008 MA Frameworks
Certified teachers needed Exit 19A, off 195

www.lighthouselearningctr.com

508 758-4884



scoring. ORR is 13-6 overall on the season and 11-5 in SCC play.

The **Old Rochester Hockey Team** downed Bishop Connolly High School, 7-3, when the two teams met on Wednesday, February 13 as the Bulldogs secured a spot in the MIAA tournament with the win. **Brennan Goguen** scored four goals and added an assist to lead to Bulldogs scoring once again. The Bulldogs tied Bishop Stang three nights later as each team scored 3 goals in their contest on Saturday evening, February 16. **Jon Hartley** scored two goals in the tie with **Goguen** adding the game tying goal in the third period to help the Bulldogs run their record to 9-6-3 on the year.

At the **MIAA Division 4 State Championships** in

ELIZABETH GRADY

BRAZILIAN.
100% OFF.



Want a silky smooth bikini area? Shave no more! A Brazilian Bikini waxing gives you the freedom to wear the latest in high and low cut swimwear and lingerie. You can leave a little, or take it all off. Elizabeth Grady estheticians are the acknowledged experts in all areas of waxing. Our methods are safe, gentle, effective and long lasting. Call to schedule your Brazilian. You'll be 100% satisfied.

In Dartmouth at 127 Faunce Corner Rd., (508)994-1100
In Seekonk at 20 Commerce Rd., (508)336-7710
www.elizabethgrady.com

EDUCATION SERIES
CLASS

FIRST TIME HOME BUYERS SEMINAR
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28.
6 PM -8 PM



BOLD MOVES REAL ESTATE
565 ROUNSEVILLE ROAD, RT. 105/PLUMB CORNER MALL
ROCHESTER, MA 508-763-8844

BOLD MOVES REAL ESTATE IS PROUD TO PRESENT THE FIRST IN A SERIES
OF COMPLIMENTARY EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS PROVIDED TO HELP YOU IN
THIS EVER CHANGING MARKET!

Please join us help demystify the steps that are involved in purchasing your first
home and stop throwing rental money away! Build equity with your own home.

Refreshments will be served!

Limited seating is available for this exciting opportunity, so please act now!

RSVP to Bold Moves at (508)763-8844 by February 21st.

**BOLD
MOVES**
Real Estate
...think outside the box!



ATLANTIS
Mortgage Corporation

PATRICIA A. McARDLE
&
ASSOCIATES, P.C.



Homeward Bound Pet Care

**Experienced Personal Pet Care Services
since 2000**

*Customized In-Home Services for ALL
your pets' needs:*

- 🐾 Daily walks
- 🐾 Vacation sitting
- 🐾 Medication administration
- 🐾 Overnights
- 🐾 Geriatric Pet Care
- 🐾 Vet or Groomer Transport

Practicing Certified Veterinary Technician
First Aid & Pet CPR
Fully Bonded & Insured
References Available

Call Amy Houbre 508-998-7557
www.homewardboundpetcare.com

GREAT WINDOWS from a GREAT COMPANY



**Innovation Construction Co. is the "clear"
choice for replacement windows.**

- ✓ 100% Financing Available
- ✓ SAVE up to 40% on energy bills
- ✓ Virtually Maintenance Free
- ✓ Aluminum clad & wood available
- ✓ Locally owned and operated



"Celebrating
Our
28th Year"

ANDERSEN WINDOWS



MARVIN
Windows and Doors



INNOVATION DESIGN & BUILD

Call Now for a
FREE Estimate Mobile # 508-789-8323
508.291.4907
innovationconst.com



Eden Landscapes Florist & Garden Shop

337 Wareham Road, Marion
508-748-0225

- Creating elegant floral designs for all occasions
- Featuring specialty gifts and pottery
- Specializing in unique landscape designs
- Offering a complete line of nursery,
water gardening and interior gardening items

Roxbury on Saturday, February 16 the top finishers for the **Old Rochester Boys and Girls Track Teams** were **Graham O'Dowd**, who finished fifth in the shot put for the boys and the 4x400 relay team of of **Becca Sylva**, **Becca Goldmacher**, **Nikita Borque** and **Alexandria Reutumis**, who finished third overall.

Mattapoisett Recreation

Sign-ups for **Mattapoisett Girls Softball** (Grade 3-8) will be held **Thursday, February 28** from 6:00 to 7:30 pm in the Old Hammondtown School Gym Lobby. Applications can be downloaded from the town's web-site at www.mattapoisett.net. Questions? Please call 508-758-4100 or email ddgmac@aol.com.

Mattapoisett Youth Baseball

The **Mattapoisett Youth Baseball Association (MYBA)** will meet on **Monday, February 25; Monday, March 10; and Monday, March 24 at 6:00 pm** each night in the Center School Conference Room.

Also a reminder: **Spring 2008 MYBA Baseball Registration Forms** were due by December 1. If you have not yet registered and plan on playing, please be aware that team rosters are being completed and late registrations may not be accepted or put on a waiting list. Please send in your registration forms immediately.

Gateway Babe Ruth

The **Gateway Babe Ruth Baseball League** is now accepting registrations for the upcoming spring season. Players must be 13, 14 or 15 years of age. The deadline

CUSTOM CEDAR FENCE

BRATTLE™

TRELLIS & LATTICE WORKS

ARBORS

SHEDS

FURNITURE

KENNELS

MARION FENCE

291 WAREHAM ROAD
MARION, MASS 02738

COURT PIEHLER, OWNER PHONE & FAX (508) 748-2482
FREE ESTIMATES



M.P. ROCHA
Construction

Remodeling • Interior and Exterior Finish

6 Gary Drive
Mattapoisett, MA

Lic 057599
(508) 758-2278
Cell 508-344-9395

for registration is March 1. Please visit their web site at www.GatewayBabeRuth.org for further information. The Gateway Babe Ruth Baseball League proudly serves the communities of Carver, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester and Wareham.

Baseball Benefit

The **Southcoast Bulldogs Youth Baseball Club** will be holding a **Texas Hold 'Em Fundraiser on Saturday, March 1** at Café Funchal in New Bedford. The Southcoast Bulldogs are little league players selected from Mattapoisett, Marion, Rochester and Wareham who will be representing the Southcoast region in a week-long tournament at Cooperstown Dreams Park in Cooperstown, NY. The Southcoast Bulldogs will meet and play against their

Hairlines Salon

Is pleased to announce the winners of the Valentines Day Draw held at local restaurants.

Each winner receives a Honey and Roses Facial and Massage and a Wash Cut and Style.

The winners are:

Jeanette Rivra	Roberta Morris
Michelle Gomes	Anna Trafton
Karen Bolles	Joanne Maquire
Lory Lavoie	

We'd like to thank the following restaurants for their participation:

Gene's Seafood, Jakes Diner, The Pasta House, The Huttleston House, The Courtyard Restaurant, Elisabeth's Restaurant, and Margaret's Restaurant.

150 Huttleston Ave., Fairhaven 508-993-0942

And the Winner is.....

LOVE IS IN THE AIR

The first time I laid eyes on my husband was in church. I would go with my mother and father and he would be there with his mother. I would glance over at him, but our eyes would never make contact. Time went on and I never saw or thought about him again. Then one day, a friend, who was looking to buy a car (she had seen an ad in the local newspaper) wanted me to go with her to look at it. When we arrived at the address, she knocked on the door to inquire about the car, and a male figure answered the door. I though I was dreaming, it was him (never knowing his name or where he lived). I could not believe that we crossed paths again but never spoke. Come to find out, it was not even the correct address we were at. Again time passed until that special night. I was out with another friend at a local club, when he showed up there with a few of his friends. Fate had brought us together for the third time. This time we held a conversation and started to date. After a year and a half, we were married. To this date, I still believe that he is my soul mate.

Submitted by:

Cheryl Almeida, 5 Abbey Street, Fairhaven, MA

P.S. "2007" made our 25th year!

Sisters
Hair & Skin Care

67 County Road, Mattapoisett
508-758-3722

CHARRON WOODWORKS
Painting-Remodeling • Finished Carpentry
Kitchens & Baths • Custom Cabinetry
Dustless Floor Refinishing
508-763-2619

peers from around the country in August, and will be inducted into the American Youth Baseball Hall of Fame.

The March 1 Texas Hold 'Em will be a no limit tournament and players must be 18 years or older. There is a \$100 by-in, no rebuys, with \$5,000 paid out in prize money (based on 100 players). Satellite Play at 4:00 pm, with registration at 5:00 pm and play beginning at 6:00 pm. Café Funchal is located at 123 Church Street in New Bedford. To register or for more information, please contact **Kevin Carando at 774-929-0697** or **Chris Dessert at 508-763-8806**. Registration is open to the first 100 players. *Please send ideas, comments and suggestions to: Sports, c/o The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739, e-mail releases to news@wanderer.com, or fax, 24-hours-a-day, to 508-758-4845.*

News Submission Policy

The Wanderer gladly accepts any and all news and press release items from local non-profit organizations for publication on a weekly basis. The deadline for submission of said items is Monday at 12:00 noon for publication in that week's edition. Due to the increasing number of submissions, however,

Steve's Collision & Paint Center Inc.

For the Quality Auto Body
Repairs you have trusted
for the past 30 years.

We are here to service all
your Body & Paint needs.

Working with all
insurance companies.

Classic & Muscle Car Restorations

92 Pine Street, Rochester, MA
508-763-3306
RS#964

publication of press material is never guaranteed. *The Wanderer* will make every effort to publish timely news items and announcements as the subject warrants and as often as spacing allows. All press material must be submitted in writing via fax (508-758-4845), e-mail (news@wanderer.com) or mail (The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739), and must be typed or word-processed. We cannot accept any handwritten material or news items via telephone, no matter how brief.

Photographs of area events and newsmakers are also accepted and encouraged. *The Wanderer* accepts well-lit and clearly-defined color or black and white photographs for publication provided they include a brief summary of the event or subject. Due to processing and/or cropping requirements, we cannot return photographs. Please make sure you retain your negatives or have a copy made before submitting photographs for publication. Like news items, the deadline for photos is Monday at 12:00 noon and the publication of photographs is also subject to spacing constraints and therefore cannot be guaranteed.

All submitted copy is subject to alterations and/or condensation as space allows at the editor's discretion. All submissions become the property of *The Wanderer* and cannot be returned, therefore please make sure to retain copies and/or negatives before submitting anything for consideration.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I applaud the actions of Principal Sheila Haskins in the matter of ORR Drama Club's post-production overnight. Obviously, updating the building usage form to reflect current laws and regulations pursuant to use of public buildings is long overdue. Ms. Haskins' requirements for CORI checks and an appropriate parent chaperone to student ratio shows good judgment and responsible oversight. These decisions are part of the job of a good school administrator and I very much appreciate her concerns for the well-being, safety and security of the young people in her charge.

Sincerely,
Cynthia Johnson
Mattapoisett

The views expressed in the "Letters to the Editor" column are not necessarily those of The Wanderer, its staff or advertisers. The Wanderer will gladly accept any and all correspondence relating to timely and pertinent issues in the greater Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester area provided they include the author's name, address, and phone number for verification. We cannot publish anonymous, unsigned or



- SEPTIC SYSTEMS
 - TITLE & SPECIALISTS
 - SITE PREP
- FREE ESTIMATES

Michael Murphy
 Marion, MA

CANAL SIDE CONSTRUCTION REMODELING & HOME IMPROVEMENT



- BASIC CARPENTRY
- SCREENED PORCHES
- PATIO ENCLOSURES
- DECKS
- 3 SEASON ROOMS
- ADDITIONS
- WINDOWS

*Does your home need help?
Why wait any longer?*

Call me! (508) 560-5759

THOMAS KOZLOWSKI
14 Oak Knoll Lane
Rochester, MA 02770

Fully Insured
Free Estimates
Very Dependable

774-849-5597

unconfirmed submissions. The Wanderer reserves the right to edit, condense, and otherwise alter submissions for purposes of clarity and/or spacing considerations. The Wanderer also reserves the right to deny publication of any submitted correspondence.

Mattapoissett Maconchu Club

The next meeting of the Maconchu Club will be held on Saturday, March 15 at 7:30 pm in Reynard Hall at the Mattapoissett Congregational Church, 27 Church Street in Mattapoissett.

Nancy O'Brien, Coordinator of Social Studies at Old Rochester Regional High School, will be the featured speaker. Nancy received a \$400 award to help defray her travel expenses to the Peace House Academy in Tanzania. Nancy participated in a ten-day teaching and learning experience in late June of last year where she worked with orphans and teenagers at risk as well as with the Tanzanian teachers at the first public school.

Refreshments, tea and coffee will be served following the presentation. Everyone is invited to come and learn more about Tanzania and newly-constructed Peace House Academy.

The Maconchu Club also has a bowling team. They are in need of two full-time bowlers. Anyone is welcome to join them on Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm at Bowlmor Lanes, Route 6 in Mattapoissett. If you do not wish to commit to being there every week, substitutes are always welcome and *no experience is necessary!* Scores do

Personal and Business Storage Units

MATTAPOISETT SELF STORAGE



508-758-4311

CLIMATE CONTROLLED

- 24/7 BLACKOUT PROTECTION
- EASY INSTALLATION
- NO MANUAL STARTING OR REFUELING
- RUNS OFF LP or NATURAL GAS

CONTROL YOUR
POWER
CONTROL YOUR
LIFE



AUTOMATIC STANDBY GENERATOR

F. D. Jones Electric, Inc.

11 Industrial Drive

Mattapoissett, MA 02739

508-763-2721

508-758-6505

7KW
Pre-packaged only
\$3990. installed
Gas Installation
not included

**Warm Up to Our
Winter
Dining Values!**

*Offers Valid In Bar or Dining Room
Excludes Take-Out*

Monday thru Thursday

4-7pm - 1/2 Price Appetizers In the Bar

**Sunday - Buy One Entree (Value \$8.99 or more)
and receive one FREE Kids Meal.**

**Monday & Saturday - Buy One Pizza - Get One at 1/2 Price
(second pizza of equal or lesser value)**

Tuesday - 30 cent Peel n' Eat Shrimp Cocktail

Purchase a dozen or more & receive \$1 off a draft beer

Wednesday - All You Can Eat Spaghetti & Meatballs \$6.95

Thursday - Buy One Fish & Chip, Get the second at 1/2 Price

210 Spring Street, Marion 508-748-2986

takeout or group reservations breakfast, lunch & dinner served daily
live entertainment friday & saturday night

www.thewaverestaurant.com

local is better. support local businesses.



**Great Food.
Great Fun.**



Cakes Inspired by the
WHIMSICALITY of Childhood

The Artisan Kitchen Ph: 508.763.4905

WWW.THEARTISANKITCHEN.COM

- Specializing in Fondant & Sculpted Cakes -
- Birthdays, Weddings, Special Events -
- Egg-Free & Vegan Cakes Available -
- Scheduling Wedding Cake Tastings for 2008 -

HOURS BY APPT. - 265 Walnut Plain Rd, Rochester, MA

Our Handmade Breads, Pies, Pastries Available At:
Lloyd's Market, Marion General Store, How on Earth

Covering All Your Flooring Needs

We've Moved!

Visit Our New Showroom at
162 Huttleston Ave. (Rt. 6)
Across from Papa Gino's

Carpet • Tile • Vinyl • Ceramic
Hardwood • Laminates

VISIT OUR SHOWROOM
OPEN Mon-Fri 9:00-5:00; Sat 9:00-1:00
Evenings by Appointment

Family Flooring Center



Financing Available



162 Huttleston Ave, Route 6
Fairhaven

508-991-6511

Bob's Houseworks

Robert Ketchel	Building, Remodeling
758-6945	& Repairs
Cell (508) 789-3918	Licensed & Insured

not count until you establish an average. For more information, please contact Ellie Blackburn at 508-758-2357 or Patricia Davis at 508-758-6702.

Marion Social Club

The Marion Social Club will host a mid-spring Steak Dinner on Sunday, March 9 with doors opening at 12:00 noon and the meal being served at 1:00 pm. The meal will consist of tender steak, baked potato, vegetable, rolls with butter and dessert. Be sure to check out the raffle table, too! For tickets or more informatino, please contact Brenda at 508-291-4218.

Rochester Puppet Show

Join the fun as Sparky's Puppets perform "Old Favorites" at Rochester's Memorial School on Saturday, March 8 at 10:00 am. Watch Grandmother teach the wolf some manners in "Little Red Riding Hood," give the "Three Little Pigs" some building advice, and help the little old lady who's baking a gingerbread man by giving her some make-believe ingredients — and a pinch of magic — for the cookie dough!

Sparky's Puppets have been dramatizing favorite children's stories in schools and libraries throughout New England for over 25 years. Each show features colorful hand puppets, lively humor and plenty of audience participation.

This event is sponsored by the Tri-Town Early Childhood Council. Admission is \$2 per person or \$5 per family. Please pre-register by calling the Early Childhood Office at 508-748-1863.

ORR Drama to Stage *Evita*

Winner of seven Tony Awards, including best musical and score, *Evita* will be performed by the Old

Lasting Change Comes From Within

Call now to set up
an appointment.
Prioritize your goals
to live a better life.



**Salthill
Counseling**

**Denise O'Meara MA. LMHC
508-965-2584**

WAREHAM NURSE MIDWIVES PC

Louise Racine Bastarache CNM & Jeanette R. King CNM

Caring Gentle Women

Caring for Women

Gynecology Care
Teen Years to Menopause



Personalized Prenatal
Care & Births

332 Main Street Wareham, MA 02571

Office Phone (508) 295-3088 Office Fax (508) 295-2079

Accepting New Patients & Most Insurances

Rochester Regional Drama Club from March 27 through March 30 in the ORR High School Auditorium. Told almost entirely in song, *Evita* follows the life of Eva Peron, an actress who married Juan Peron, President of Argentina. Affectionately nicknamed "Evita" by her devoted followers, she continued to dazzle the public until her death at the young age of 33. Composed by Andrew Lloyd Webber with lyrics by Tim Rice, the musical opens with Eva's funeral which was attended by millions, the narrator then brings the story back to Eva's earlier life.

Evita stars Chelsie Nectow in the role of Evita, Daniel Andrews in the role of Che, Charles Tucker Johnson in the role of Juan Peron, Kate Florio as Peron's Mistress, and Matt Kaloplastos as Agustin Magaldi.

**COLDWELL
BANKER**



RESIDENTIAL BROKERAGE

**150 Front Street, Marion, MA 02738
508-748-3044**



Marion: Incredible waterfront property in "The Moorings", one of Marion's most prestigious neighborhoods with panoramic views of Buzzards Bay & Aucoot Cove. Incredible 4BD 3.5Ba Cape features an open luxury kitchen w/ granite countertops. The Moorings enjoys a private beach, tennis courts & private dock. **\$2,750,000**

Visit our nationally recognized website:

www.NewEnglandMoves.com



elín photography 508.758.4591

www.elinphotography.com

DeCoffe Automotive Service

GENERAL REPAIRS



We service
automotive
Heating &
Defrosting Systems

Heater Core Replacement Done with a Smile

24 HOUR TOWING SERVICE

Days: 758-2153 If No Answer: 758-2425

3 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett
(Across from the Jack Conway Building)

Citgo Petroleum Products

OPEN: Monday-Friday 8 to 5:30. Saturday: 8 to 12:30

THINK SPRING!

Time to get your equipment ready.

We service all makes of lawnmowers,
trimmers, blowers and chain saws.

We also have parts to Do-It-Yourself... we have
most tune-up parts in stock or parts for most
brands of lawnmowers can be ordered.

Beat The Rush!

Get in now or call for a pick-up or delivery



Country Hardware Inc.

632 Main Street, Acushnet, MA

508-995-4272

Closed Tuesday Only



Hair Unlimited

508-758-2200

45 Pearl St. Mattapoisett

- Waxing • Custom Facials • Color • Perm
- Cut • Style • Pedicures & More!

With 43 elementary and junior high students and a supporting cast of 92 high school students, including stage techies, follow-spot operators, orchestra members, sound/lighting technicians, ushers and concession people, the total number in this expansive cast is 135 tri-town students.

"I chose the award-winning *Evita* for this year because we had several kids who could perform any of the roles," said Director Paul Sardinha. "Also, the historic value and topic of the show could be interconnected with the language and history programs at ORR."

"Several of these gargantuan 'Broadway Operas' have been produced at ORR," continued Mr. Sardinha. "We were the first high school in this area to produce such grandiose musicals as *Into the Woods*, *Candide*, *Les Miserables*, and *Ragtime*. We have the voices and the actors, why not push and expose them to this higher level of theatre?"

In addition to direction by Paul Sardinha, the costumes are by Helen Blake. *Evita* will be presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 27, 28 and 29 at 7:30 pm, and Sunday, March 30 at 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$8 for students and seniors. Tickets will be available at the Pen and Pendulum in Mattapoisett, the Marion General Store and the Plumb Corner Market in Rochester. Tickets will also be available at the door. ORR High School is located on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. For additional ticket information, please call Patty Benner at 508-763-4727.

Marion Opera Singer

Marion Resident Cathy Jones was selected to sing the role of Third Spirit in Mozart's *The Magic Flute* at the International Lyric Academy of Rome and Viterbo, Italy this July and August. Ms. Jones studies voice with Andrea

Arthur Moniz Gallery

Across from the entrance to the
Whaling Museum in New Bedford,



- PAINTINGS • PRINTS
- NOTECARDS
- UNIQUE CRAFTS
- GICLÉE PRINTS

**...Designer Framing
done in house at
an affordable price**

**508 992.6050
508 997.8644**

22 William St., New Bedford
28 Smith St. Fairhaven

■ open daily arthurmonizgallery.com

MIKE'S APPLIANCE

Sales and Service • Experienced with all brands.

Also available evenings, weekends and holidays

Mike Healy 508-748-2557

DelGiudice, Artistic Director for the Operatunity Performing Arts Center of Foxboro, who will serve as Artistic Advisor for the Lyric Academy program.

The program for which Jones was selected features Stefano Vignati, conductor of the 60-member international orchestra and will tour six cities in the Lazio region of Italy. Productions include Mozart's *The Magic Flute*, Verdi's *Rigoletto*, Puccini's *La Boheme*, Verdi's *La Traviata*, Pergolesi's *Stabat Mater*, and the Three Tenors Concert series.

For more information, please visit www.operatunity.org or www.internationallylyricacademy.com.

Tri-Town Relay For Life

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Tri-Town will be hosting a Team Captain Meeting on February 26 at 6:00 pm at the Old Rochester Regional High School Library, 135 Marion Road in Mattapoisett. Come pick up your team captain packet, start a team, learn how to you can support the American Cancer Society, get creative fundraising ideas and more. For more information,



Boat Corp.

840A Point Rd.

Marion, MA 02738

www.ajboatcorp.com

Phone: (508) 748-2800 Fax: (508) 748-2100

**EVINRUDE E-TECS IN
STOCK
FROM 40HP TO 250HP**



kitchen & bath

details



4 Church St. Ext. (Rt. 6)

Mattapoisett

508.758.6083

**details kitchen candle
clearance event**



Now through March 31st

20% off all candles

40% off all discontinued

orange ticket candles

details kitchen candles are 100 % all natural soy with pure cotton wicks



BREAKFAST

Hot, Cold & Frozen Drinks
Coffee • Cappuccino • Latte
Chai • Mocha • Gelato • Smoothies
Homemade Baked Goods

INDIAN FOOD

Sandwiches • Chicken, Shrimp & Eggplant
Curry Wraps and More • Dishes
Samosa • Lentil Cakes • Puri • Soup

Take-Out or Eat In

Free WiFi Access

www.cafegelatte.com

119 Wareham St., Rt. 6, Marion

508-748-6888

Hours: Mon.-Fri. 7:30am-7pm, Sat. 8-6pm, Sun Closed

4 Barlow Lane, Mattapoissett



Charming, well maintained 2 bedroom home with upgrades, too many to list. Fireplace, fenced yard, quiet neighborhood close to village and beaches. All appliances, washer/dryer, to stay. Priced well below assessed value. Offered by owner/broker

Jeanne Vulgaris

Pinnacle Realty Services, Inc.

508-965-1222



NO KIDDING!

GAMES & PUZZLES FOR WINTER DAYS

AT THE ROPEWALK 508-758-3323
33 COUNTY ROAD, MATTAPOISETT, MA 02739

please contact Caryn Hodges at 508-989-7805 or Carol Lareau at 508-758-9229.

IRS Rebate Check

For any person who is not required to file a Federal Income Tax Form for 2007, the local Councils on Aging (COAs) would like to remind them that they will not receive the \$300 Rebate Check unless they file IRS Form 1040A for 2007. This form is available at the Mattapoissett COA and will be available at the Rochester COA by Friday, February 22.

The staff will not fill out the form for you, however instructions and sample forms will be available. *Do not* make an appointment to have the AARP do your taxes.

There will be group instruction at the Rochester COA at 12:00 noon on Friday, February 22 and March 7 and March 14. The Mattapoissett COA will have a group session on Thursday, February 21 and Thursday, February 28. Please bring an envelope addressed to: IRS, Andover, MA 05501-0002.

Sippican Historical Donation

The Board of the Sippican Historical and Preservation Society has recently donated scholarship funds to the Tri-Town Early Childhood Office. This donation, in the amount of \$350, helps make it possible to provide qualified teachers for the office's programs, which are dependent almost exclusively on grant monies. Consisting

Terry Allan, CMT

* Therapeutic * Relaxing *
* Deep Tissue *

Swedish Massage & Japanese Shiatsu

525 Mill Street
Marion, MA 02738
(508) 264-8083

(Gift Certificates available)
Affiliated with Coastal Chiropractic Health

Dorothy Cox's Chocolates

Open House

March 2, 12pm-4pm

*Come see how
we make chocolates!*



115 Huttleston Avenue, Fairhaven, MA 02719

Mon.-Sat. 9-7, Sun. 10-7

(508) 996-2465

of playgroups for infant, toddler, and preschool ages, the programs provide a chance for young children to experience both free and structured play within a social setting. The playgroups, which are held in area schools, have grown tremendously in popularity since their inception, but dwindling funding has made it difficult to keep pace with this growth.

Early Childhood Coordinator Jane Taylor noted: "The value of the playgroups extends beyond the benefit to the child, to the family. Parents are able to make connections to other families with children of similar age, thus creating a support network. They also experience some simple activities with their child, ones that can be easily replicated at home and are not only fun, but edu-



167 Huttleston Avenue - Rte 6 - Fairhaven

CLASSIC QUALITY FENCES

**We're Back from Vacation
and Busy, Busy, Busy!!!
Call us NOW for best
available times for Spring
installations and repairs.**



508 . 991 . 8500



Showroom Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30-4pm
Closed Wednesday

FREE IN-HOME CONSULTATION & ESTIMATES.

Tri-Town Fuel Service

Heating Oil

508-758-4410

- ✓ Prompt Professional Service
That Will Save You Money
- ✓ Emergency & Scheduled Burner Service



John (Jay) Langlois

YOGA TO LIFT YOUR MOOD & RELIEVE STRESS

... much more than just stretching

- release your "feel good" hormones
- calm the nervous system
- improve self acceptance
- balance your emotions
- learn about the body/mind connection

with simple breathing, postures, & meditation

Mondays . 9 - 10:40am
6 week series . Starts Feb 25th . \$115
Register online or call



PALLATRONI & ROBICHAUD, PC
Certified Public Accountants

**Be a number with them,
or a familiar face with us.**

*Providing Personalized Income Tax
and Bookkeeping Support
to Individuals and Small Businesses*



Phone: (508) 758-2460
8 County Road (Rte 6) PO Box 438 Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Earth's Partner

Your Organic Convenience Store
Check us out on
earthspartner.blogspot.com

133 Wareham Road Marion, MA 02738 (508) 748-3933

cational. This donation really makes a huge difference in what we're able to offer."

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

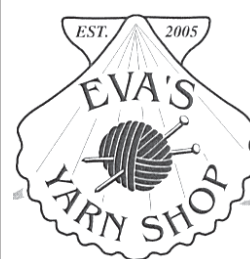
- Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen – Tuesday, February 26 at 7:00 pm, Mattapoisett Town Hall.
- Rochester Board of Selectmen – Monday, February 25 at 6:30 pm, Rochester Town Hall.
- Marion School Committee – Wednesday, February 27 at 6:30 pm, Sippican School.
- Rochester School Committee – Thursday, February 28 at 6:00 pm, Memorial School.

Tri-Town Blue Book

The League of Women Voters (LWV) Tri-Town Telephone Directory ("The Blue Book") is currently being updated for its 24th edition. The 2008-2009 phone book will be released in early summer.

Residents who are new to the area or who are not listed in the Verizon telephone directory who would like to be included in the Blue Book should call 508-993-3802 or e-mail the information to LWVMMR@yahoo.com. New entry information may also be mailed to the LWV Phone Book, P.O. Box 812, Marion, MA 02738. Please include your name, address (including P.O. Box), and ten-digit telephone number as you want it to appear in the directory.

The Telephone Book Committee urges all resi-



Socks, socks, socks...
**New self-stripping
yarns arriving
daily!**

Knit Nights Wed. & Thurs. 6-9:00pm
42 Main Street, Fairhaven, MA 02719
Tel: 508-996-KNIT (5648) • Fax: 508-996-5646
www.evasyarnshop.com
Tues. & Fri. 10-5, Wed. & Thur. 10-9, Sat. 10-4, Sun. 12-4



Gregoire & Sweet

IMPERIAL STRENGTH
PLASTERING

Nantucket 508.325.4986
Mattapoisett 508.758.7832

dents to check their current listing in the Blue Book to ensure that it is accurate. Residents who have recently moved into town, who have moved within town, who have unlisted numbers, and people whose number does not appear in the Verizon phone book are encouraged to submit their updated information.

The deadline for additions, corrections, or changes is Friday, March 21, 2008.

Blue Book Advertising

Renewal notices for the upcoming 2008-2009 24th edition of the League of Women Voters (LWV) Tri-Town Local Phone Directory ("The Blue Book") have been mailed. All current advertisers in the Marion, Matta-

Need a Change?

Try highlights to brighten your color.
Ask about our foil services where you can add
one, two, or even three colors. It will have
everyone asking,

"Where did you get your hair done?"

For the month of February
All new color clients receive a free take home
color care system!

LEONARD'S CUTTERS
PAUL MITCHELL

•Hair •Facials •Waxing •Nailcare

43 Alden Road, Fairhaven
at the Fairhaven Center for Business

Mon., Tues., Wed., Sat. 9-5, Thurs. & Fri. 9-9
(508) 997-9968

GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT



WAREHOUSE CLEARANCE SALE

(Fri., Sat. & Sun. Feb. 22-Feb. 24 10-5)

at our Route 6 Fairhaven Location • www.gottahaveitinc.com



Maintenance Free



Tempur-Pedic
Mattress



Hattaras
Hammocks

ALL OUTDOOR FURNITURE **30%-70% OFF** (in stock only) inc. Teak, Alum & Maintenance Free

ALL GRANITE Tables & Stool Sets *orig. \$1595* **NOW \$595**

ALL HAMMOCKS & Accessories **30-50% OFF**

Lots of Miscellaneous Indoor Items:

-Leather Sofa *orig. \$1295* **NOW \$295**

-Leather Loveseat *orig. \$995* **NOW \$295**

-Cherry Finish Corner Curio *orig. \$995* **NOW \$295**

-Microfiber Lounger *orig. \$895* **NOW \$395**

And Select



items **20% OFF!**

324 Huttleston Ave., (Rte 6) Fairhaven • Open Fri., Sat., & Sun. 10-5 • 508-961-0000

GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT • GOTTA HAVE IT

Fisher & Rocha, Inc



Quality Custom Builders

NEW CONSTRUCTION • REMODELING • REPAIRS
PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

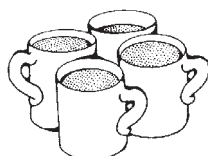
Since 1965

508 758 6738

17 Fairhaven Road | Mattapoisett | MA 02739

www.fisherrocha.com

Fully Insured: HIC LIC#100157



Open for
the Winter
Tues.-Sat.

9am-5:30pm
Closed Sun. & Mon.

FREE
WiFi

Join Us in the Café for
Coffee, Tea, Pastries & Quiche

Organic Fresh Vegetables

Soups • Salads • Fresh Bread • Pastries

Grass Fed Beef • Venison • Eggs

Dairy Products

Now carrying all natural health,
beauty & cleaning products.



Fine Baked Delicacies

508-758-1341

62 MARION ROAD (Rt. 6), MATTAPOISETT, MA

JEANIE'S EDUCATION CENTER Est 1974

Basic and Advanced Obedience Classes

Certified AKC Evaluator for Judging

"Come Join the Fun"-CGC Classes

CGC Prerequisite for Pet Therapy

Phone 508-748-6754



poisett and Rochester Telephone Book who have not yet returned their forms are urged to do so as soon as possible. The phone book is delivered free to every postal address in the three towns as well as to all schools, Town Halls, and is made available to all newcomers.

Information has also been sent out to 800 prospective advertisers. If any new businesses, services or professionals have not received this year's information, please call Linda Schuessler at 508-748-9545.

Published by the Tri-Town League of Women Voters as a community service, The Blue Book advertisers make it possible for the LWV to continue its community activities such as its voter service which includes Candidates Night and Voter Registration of 18-year-old students at ORR, and its grants to new education projects in the tri-town communities.

Mattapoisett Machacam Club

The Machacam Club will hold its March meeting on March 5 at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street in Mattapoisett. Social time is 5:30 pm with dinner service at 6:00 pm.

The speaker this month will be the club's own Mike Jennings. Mike has a very impressive presentation on his friend, Admiral Eugene B. Flucky, Medal of Honor Winner and, among other awards, the holder of four Navy Crosses. Mike, at age 19, had a unique opportunity to meet this historic Navy hero whose exploits in World War II were legendary. Not many sailors can speak of a "friend" such as this. The Admiral was a "Sailor's Sailor" and his story will be one of the highlights of the club's year.

Callers are asked to bear in mind the importance of call list accuracy. Please report no later than 9:00 pm on March 3, 2008 by calling 508-758-9311. Last-minute

Colonial Shutterworks

Interior & Exterior Wooden Shutters

Historic Replications

Storm/Screen Doors

4 Church Street Extension

Mattapoisett, MA 02739

ColonialShutterworks.com

508-758-9513



Expressive Wisdom Studio

"balancing body and mind through self-expression"

Don't Repress It, Express It!

Book three Reiki or Art & Healing sessions

pay only \$40.00/ Session

that's like getting one free.*

*regular price per session: \$60.00

Deb Ferreira, RM, EAEF

Call and book your sessions today: 508-493-8855

changes by members can be made by calling the same number direct no later than 9:00 pm on March 3.

ORR Athletic Phonathon

For the past five years, the Old Rochester Regional High School Athletic Booster Club (ORRABC) has sponsored a phonathon to raise funds to support the many student-athletes at the school, and through the generous support of the tri-town community, the phonathon has been a great success. This year's Athletic Booster Club Phonathon will take place from March 4 through March 20.

The ORR Athletic Booster Club was organized in 2004 for the purpose of supporting all of the athletic teams

MATHIEU & MATHIEU

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law



60 Marion Road, Mattapoisett

ESTATE PLANNING

We draft and review purchase and sale agreements

*

Is the equity in your home protected?

Mattapoisett Office Hours

Tuesdays by chance & by appointment

MAIN OFFICE

168 Eighth Street, New Bedford

Telephone (508) 996-8283

Real Stories

from

Marion Family Chiropractic



(508) 748-6632

www.marionchiropractic.com



"I came to Marion Family Chiropractic because of neck pain that made me unable to look left – which made sleeping uncomfortable and driving dangerous! Now **I feel so much better**. It is nice to know that there is a place where relief can be found when you just don't feel 'in line.'"

- Joan Allison, New Bedford

"My goal with chiropractic care was to improve my overall health. Now I feel wonderful, and am **much less dependent on medications** to keep my condition under control.

- Karen Lariviere, New Bedford

"I first came in because I was in more pain than I could normally handle. I am now living a more comfortable life than before – **they also taught me how the body works in order to keep pain free**."

- Tom Gibbs, Marion

"When I first came to Marion Family Chiropractic I had headaches from temple to temple. I had pain in my back, shoulder blade and general pain in my spine. Since starting chiropractic care, **I have had great relief**. Dr. Tam is a very gentle, caring, and concerned doctor."

- Barbara Bergold, Marion



A c u s h n e t R i v e r A n t i q u e s

72 Kilburn Street
New Bedford, MA 02740
Tel/Fax: 508-992-8878

**Home & Garden
Decorating Ideas!**
Antique Furniture • Accessories
• Rugs • Lighting • Jewelry
Porcelain • China • Inkwell
Trains • Toys • Garden Items
Collectibles • Textiles
Glassware • Art

"A must see shop on the way to Cape Cod"
The best dealers - The best selection

Directions: Easy Access from Rte 195. Traveling east (from Providence) take exit 16, turn left at stop sign onto Belleville Ave to Kilburn St.

Traveling west (from Cape Cod) take exit 17, Coggeshall St. turn left, and left again at lights (Belleville Ave.) to Kilburn St.

100 Dealers /18,000 sq. ft.
Also Buying Antiques and Estates
Open 7 Days:
Mon-Sat 10-5,
Sun 11-4
Carl & Doreen Thatcher, Proprietors



***BANNERS *TRUCKS *DESIGNING *BOATS**
***INTERIOR/EXTERIOR SIGNS *JOBSITE**
***LIFT SERVICES *GOLD LEAF *MAGNETICS**

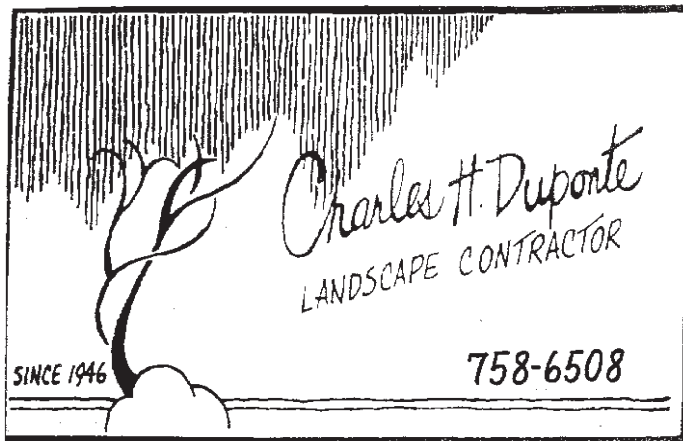
508-758-2853

at ORR. Its mission is to encourage interest in and provide financial support to all ORR interscholastic athletic teams, and recognize and reward teams and student-athletes. The club promotes several events each year to raise funds for scholarships for graduating seniors and to allow student-athletes to raise money for special equipment, uniforms, teamwear and supplies for their teams. To date, the Booster Club has raised over \$100,000 for ORR athletics.

Funds raised by the Booster Club have been used to enhance the school's athletic facilities and to purchase equipment used by all of the teams. For example, last year, the ORR Girls' Track Team purchased a golf cart using their team funds raised through Booster Club calendar sales. This golf cart is used by the school's athletic trainer to respond to athletes in need of care. In 2006, the Booster Club helped fund the creation of a new strength and conditioning center at the school. Some of the club's future plans include the creation of an ORR Athletics Hall of Fame and further improvements to the school's sports facilities.

Approximately 400 student-athletes participate on 20 teams at ORR, and by all measures, they have been achieving great success. Just last month, *The Boston Globe* announced the winners of its 35th Annual Globe Scholastic Awards, and ORR was named the winner of the 2007 Dalton Award as the Division 3 school with the highest overall team winning percentage in the entire state.

**Rochester
Transportation**
Door to Door Service
Logan Airport • Green Airport
Amtrak • Woods Hole
Driven to be Dependable
508-944-7164



ORR athletes have also been recognized for their exemplary sportsmanship, winning South Coast Conference and Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association (MIAA) sportsmanship awards. Such winning ways are a direct result of the athletes' hard work, dedication, and enthusiasm, and the Booster Club's support has helped them to achieve such excellence and success. ORR's student-athletes hope that the residents of the tri-town area will continue their generous support of ORR Athletics.

For more information, please contact Shaun P. Walsh, ORRABC Vice President, at spwalshesq@yahoo.com.

NO TIME LIKE THE PRESENT TO KEEP YOUR FUTURE ON TRACK.

Lots of times, changes in life also affect your investments. That's why there's never been a better time to schedule your free portfolio review. We'll talk about the changes in your life, and help you decide whether it makes sense to revise your investments because of them.

A portfolio review will help ensure your investments are keeping pace with your goals. Call your local financial advisor today.

Ron Ellis
53 County Road
(Route 6)
Mattapoisett, MA
(508) 758-3311

www.edwardjones.com
Member SIPC

Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING



OPEN HOUSE SAT, FEB 23, 12-2
2 Chapel Rd, Mattapoisett

MATTAPOISETT
\$424,000
Sweet and cozy, one floor living with extra media room, big garage and hot tub on deck – vacation at home!



MATTAPOISETT
Gorgeous gourmet kitchen opens to 24 ft great room! Private yard Lower level In-law – all new! Lots of house, lots of value here! Call for more info.

BERNADETTE KELLY 508.789.5072
429 FRONT ST | MARION, MA | 508.748.1379

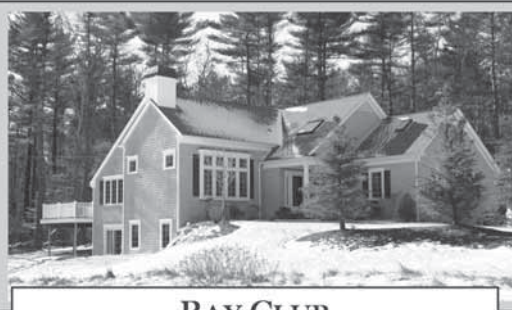
WWW.SOUTHCOSTREALESTATECO.COM

Visit our website for more info about all MLS listed property



South Coast
REAL ESTATE CO.

Making the South Coast Home



- BAY CLUB -
NEW TO MARKET! \$869,000

Beautiful! Luxury and comfort in this custom built house. With 3200sf and .5 acre lot, first floor master – flexible floor plan for many styles of living! See more details and photos online.

GRAMMIES CANDIES & GIFTS

"The Fun Store"
Much More than a Candy Store

Jelly Belly Sale

Buy 1 Get 1 Free

of equal or lesser value

Store Hours: Thurs.-Fri. 12-5, Sat. 11-5
6 County Road, Conway Building Rt. 6,
Mattapoisett • 508-758-2020



*From Concept to Fruition,
Design Build is our Specialty*

BUZZARDS BAY CONSTRUCTION

*Additions and Kitchen and Bath
Renovations*

Scott Parker 508-989-1789
Eddie Dillon 508-496-4288

Personal Touch

~ A Full Service Salon ~

**We are expanding
our salon hours...**

Now open Monday 3pm-7pm

hair • skin • body treatments • nails
266 Huttleston Ave, Fairhaven • 508 999-9871

Showstoppers Jewelry Benefit

The public is welcomed to an Open House in the Saint Anthony's Church basement on Barstow Street in Mattapoisett where quality sterling silver jewelry will be on sale at great prices on Thursday, February 28 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Sales will benefit The Showstoppers, the local community service vocal troupe, as they fundraise for their August performance in Disney World. Items on display will be beautiful sterling silver collections and semi-precious stones, one-of-a kind items for cash and carry as well as unique and personalized items that can be ordered through their catalog. Earth's Elements, based in Lakeville, will offer beautiful jewelry designs at exceptional value. Come browse with your friends and enjoy a fun evening of socialization with free refreshments and door prizes.

Project GROW Applications

Project GROW applications have been mailed to all age-eligible children in Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester who appear in the database of the Early Childhood Office. Project GROW is the integrated public school preschool program serving children with and without special needs. The program follows the school calendar and offers a two-day or a three-day preschool opportunity.

If you have a child who will be three by August 31 and who is not age-eligible for Kindergarten, and

We are your flag & banner SOURCE!

OFFICIAL TEAM FLAGS



*visit us or
order by phone!*



BREWER BANNER DESIGNS
77 Forest St., New Bedford, MA 02740

★★ 508 996-6006 ★★



Specializing In:

- New Homes
- Additions
- Kitchens
- Baths
- Siding
- Roofing
- Snow Plowing

508. 758.6030
508.965.4468 hottem@comcast.net

Licensed & Insured

have not received an application, please contact the Early Childhood Office at 508-748-1863 to obtain one. The deadline for priority consideration is February 25, 2008.

Mattapoisett Pasta Benefit

The Mattapoisett Lions Club will be hosting a Pasta Dinner to benefit the Showstoppers on Saturday, March 1 at 5:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. Tickets are only \$8, (\$4 for children ages 2-12) not to exceed \$20 per immediate family. Bring your family to enjoy a great pasta dinner with entertainment by the Showstoppers.

Tickets may be obtained by calling Steve at 508-758-9268; Helene at 508-758-9841; or Kelly at



Healing from the Heart



for Your Loved One.

*Show how much you care with a gift certificate.
 Choose from our staff of four highly experienced massage therapists:*

Susan Dexter • Romain Payant
 • Ken Andrade • Donna Wallace

Couples Massages Available



Still Waters

Massage Therapy

317-C Front Street Marion
508-748-0228

Trust in over 21 years experience
 Available seven days a week by appointment only
 Member of AMTA • ABMP • IMA

We offer:

- Swedish Massage
- Structural Balancing
- Reiki
- Hot Stones
- Stretching Techniques
- CranioSacral Therapy (Upledger Trained)
- Deep Tissue Massage
- Myofascial Release
- Therapeutic Heated Massage
- AMMA (Japanese Acupressure)

And for your beloved companion - Certified Equine Massage





michael william
 ASSOCIATES
 landscape design and build

*Outstanding service
 and results from a team
 of experienced landscapers*

Member of:

- Associated Landscape Contractors of Massachusetts
- Association of Professional Landscape Designers

At Michael William Associates, our commitment to creativity and craftsmanship is unparalleled. Experience is reflected in everything we do, from free on-site consultations, to the creative design of your dream outdoor space, to the execution of each detail. For free consultation, please call 508.758.2232

landscape design/build masonry irrigation

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Don't forget to wish these people a Happy Birthday!

Frank Beatriz	February 21
Maggie O'Donnell	February 24
Jeanne Butler	February 26
Kristen Casey	February 26
Rick Bousquet	February 26
Sydney Grace Merusi	February 26

If you would like The Wanderer to announce a birthday for yourself, a friend or family member, please submit your information online to us at www.wanderer.com/birthday. To submit information by regular mail, please send the person's name (month and day) along with your name and phone number so we can confirm the information to Birthdays, c/o The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. You may submit birthday announcements anytime during the year and they will be published/posted during the appropriate week.

Remember to check The Wanderer each week so you will know who to wish a "Happy Birthday!"

508-758-4525. A very limited number of tickets will be sold at the door, so please call in advance.

Mattapoisett Council on Aging

The Mattapoisett Social and Wellness Center, the location of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging is located at the Center School in Mattapoisett. Enter at the main entrance; parking is located across the street near the church carriage shed or in the school lot. The Center is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Please be reminded that with the Mattapoisett Council on Aging, as with all Councils on Aging, any and all are welcome to participate in activities or utilize services. The Mattapoisett Council on Aging works regularly with a vibrant group of individuals who are always willing to welcome a new face. Please call them at 508-758-4110 if you are interested in receiving our bi-monthly newsletter or, if you wish to learn more about our services.

Weekly Schedule

• Thursday, February 21 – 8:30 Yoga with Tricia; 9:00 Flower Show; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; 1:00 Crafters Circle; 1:00 Beginners Art Class;

LOCAL CABLE PROGRAMMING



CHANNEL 9 Public Access

Sunday, Feb. 24

7:50 AM – South Coast Community Church
9:00 AM – Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM – First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM – Physician's Focus
11:30 AM – White House Chronicles
12:00 PM – The Jeff Perry Report
12:30 PM – Rochester Board of Selectmen's Meeting
2:00 PM – Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM – First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM – Soundings
5:00 PM – Learn to Square Dance
6:00 PM – Rochester Board of Selectmen's Meeting
7:30 PM – Bulletin Board
8:00 PM – Dartmouth Community Medical School
10:30 PM – ORR Programming
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Monday, Feb. 25

Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest

Programming
5:00 PM – The Commonwealth Report
5:30 PM – White House Chronicle
6:00 PM – ORRH 2007 Graduation Ceremony
7:30 PM – New England Outdoor Life
8:00 PM – Army News Watch
8:30 PM – Physician's Focus
9:00 PM – Inside the ORR with Dr. Cooper
10:30 PM – The Conn Jackson Show
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Tuesday, Feb. 26

10:00 AM – ORR Programming
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – The Wanderer Presents
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programming
3:00 PM – Inside the ORR with Dr. Cooper
4:00 to 8:00 PM – ORCTV presents ORR programming
8:30 PM – Rochester Board of Selectmen's Meeting
9:30 PM – Neighbor to Neighbor With Don Cuddy
11:00 PM – The Jeff Perry Report
11:30 PM – Rochester Se-

lectmen's Meeting
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Wednesday, Feb. 27

Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 to 4:00 PM – Local Interest Programs
4:00 PM – The B-120 Incident
5:00 PM – New England Outdoor Life
5:30 PM – Ampersand – Featuring the Marion Arts Center
6:30 PM – Jeff Perry Report
7:00 PM – White House Chronicle
7:30 PM – Commonwealth Report
8:00 PM – Physician's Focus
8:30 PM – Dr. Is In
9:00 PM – Ampersand – Featuring the Marion Arts Center
10:30 PM – Army News Watch
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Thursday, Feb. 28

10:00 AM – ORR Programming
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 to 4:00 PM – Local Interest Programs
4:00 to 8:00 PM – ORCTV presents ORR programming
8:30 PM – The Rock Star Stories

9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
11:00 PM – The Conn Jackson Show
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie
1:30 AM – Slumlord Production presents: Films by Courtney Fathom Sells

Friday, Feb. 29

Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 to 5:00 PM – Local Interest Programs
5:30 PM – Soundings
6:30 PM – Pace Monthly
7:00 PM – Turntable
7:30 PM – Home Front
8:00 PM – Mass Talk
9:00 PM – The Commonwealth Report
9:30 PM – The State of The Commonwealth Address
11:00 PM – Ampersand – Featuring the Marion Arts Center
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie Double Feature

Saturday, Mar. 1

8:00 AM to Noon – Classic Cartoon Festival
Noon – Neighbor to Neighbor With Don Cuddy
1:00 PM – Turntable
1:30 – New England Outdoor Life

2:00 – Inside the ORR with Dr. Cooper
3:00 to 7:00 PM – ORCTV presents ORR programming
8:30 PM – Rock Star Stories
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
11:00 PM – The Conn Jackson Show
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie
1:30 AM – Slumlord Production presents: Films by Courtney Fathom Sells

Midday Movies – Hollywood Heart Throbs
Midnight Movies – Sci-Fi week – It Came from Outer Space!

Each Weekday at 2:00 PM tune in to enjoy our new workout program, Jazzercise. A new workout is featured everyday!

CHANNEL 95 Marion Government

6:30 PM Every Night
Marion Board of Selectmen's Meeting

Saturday and Sunday
11:00 AM – Marion Planning Board Meeting
5:00 PM – Finance Committee Summit

- Friday, February 22 – 8:30 Shaw's; 9:30 Weight Training; 11:00 to 2:30 Serve Delivery Day;
- Monday, February 25 – 8:00 Water Aerobics; 9:00 SHINE; 10:00 Garden Club; 1:00 Scrabble; 1:30 Fitness with Karen;
- Tuesday, February 26 – 8:30 Stop and Shop; 9:00 Art Class; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 11:00 Cribbage; 2:00 Weight Training;
- Wednesday, February 27 – 8:00 Water Aerobics; 12:30 Lunch Senior with Grade 3; 1:30-3:30 Bingo; 1:30 Fitness with Karen;
- Thursday, February 28 – 8:30 Yoga with Tricia; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; 11:30 Mystery Lunch; 1:00 Crafters Circle; 1:00 Beginners Art Class;
- Friday, February 29 – 8:30 Shaw's; 9:30 Weight Training; 10:00 Maintain your Brain with the Alzheimer's Association.
- Monday, March 3 – 8:00 Water Aerobics; 9:00 SHINE; 10:00 Garden Club; 1:00 Fairhaven Marts; 1:00 Scrabble; 1:30 Fitness with Karen;
- Tuesday, March 4 – 8:30 Stop and Shop; 9:00 Art Class; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 11:00 Cribbage; 2:00 Weight Training;
- Wednesday, March 5 – 8:00 Water Aerobics; 12:30 Lunch Senior with Grade 3; 1:30-3:30 Bingo; 1:30 Fitness with Karen;
- Thursday, March 6 – 8:30 Yoga with Tricia; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; 11:30 Healthy Cooking for 1; 1:00 Crafters Circle; 1:00 Beginners Art Class;
- Friday, March 7 – 8:30 Shaw's; 9:30 Weight Training; Reminder: SERVE orders due for March.

Upcoming Events

- Zeiterion Theatre Tickets: Tickets are available for seniors at a discounted rate for a variety of shows through this Spring. Please call the COA for a list of shows and the reduced cost. You don't want to miss out on these terrific shows at great rates. Plan early, seats are limited. Van may be available.
- Healthy Cooking Demonstration (includes freshly prepared lunch) – March 6 at 11:30 am at the COA, join Peter Racine, Chef of New Bedford Health Care Center. Peter will share his expertise on ideas for healthy cooking for one or two and will prepare lunch for all of us. Space is limited! Call to reserve you spot early!
- Providence Place Mall – Thursday, March 27 at 9:30 am: Join us for a trip to the Mall to visit some of the areas finest stores, Crate and Barrel, Nordstroms, Talbots, Cheesecake Factory, to name a few. Van donation \$5 required to reserve space on the van.
- Boston Flower Show – Join us for a wonderful start to spring at the Boston Flower Show on Friday, March 14. The van leaves at 9:00 am. Van \$10, show \$17. Limited seats in the van, so please register soon.
- IMAX at Jordan's Furniture: Thursday, April 3. The COA travels by van to Natick to see a 3-D documentary on deep sea life in the IMAX theatre and enjoy lunch at Kelley's Roast Beef. All in the same building. You can

www.wanderer.com

**KB Bookkeeping
& Financial Organization**

Providing solutions to streamline your life
 Small Business & Individuals

20+ years experience in Financial Analysis, Bookkeeping and Accounting

- *Full Charge Bookkeeping
- *Payroll Processing
- *Quickbooks Installation & Training
- *Financial Statements
- *Budget Planning & Forecasting
- *Job Costing
- *Office Organization

(508)996-1846
 For additional information email:
 info@kbbfo.com
 Free 1 hour consultation

also enjoy the enormous showroom. Van \$5, show \$7.50. Lunch range \$6-\$16. Van leaves 8:30am. Call to be included.

- *A Little Bit of Ireland ... Reagle Players:* The Reagle Players are in Waltham on March 15 for what is certain to be a great time. Show is at 2:00 pm, van leaves Park n Ride at noon. \$37 for ticket and van. Due to popularity of this, plan early to reserve your seat. Call the COA for details.
- The Old Rochester Regional High School Drama Club will present *Evita* at 7:30 pm on Wednesday, March 26. The Final dress rehearsal is free to seniors. Please arrive for show time at 7:30 pm with a canned good donation. Van transportation is available for \$1.

Velvet
 Free People
 Ella Moss
 Twelfth Street
 French Connection
 7 For All Mankind
 Joe's Jeans
 Goldsign
 Paige Premium Denim
 Chan Luu
 Hanky Panky
 Jessie May
 and more...

CONTRARY
 Wholly Different Fashion

8 County Road, Rt. 6 Mattapoisett MA (508) 758 4800

"GOING FOR THE GOLD"

The Wanderer's 80th Annual Oscar Pick Contest

Well it's that time of year again. Time to read over the nominees for the "Best of the Best" on the silver screen for the previous year and wonder why you still haven't seen the vast majority of the films mentioned.

And whether or not there's a gala red-carpet celebration or a more sombre pronouncement of the winners due to the lingering Hollywood writers' strike, we at *The Wanderer* are hoping to make the event just a little more interesting this year by offering you a chance to out-guess all the critics and movie know-it-alls by entering our **80th Annual Oscar Pick Contest**.

Simply check off who you predict will win in each of the following six top award categories and submit this original entry form (no photocopies, please) to our office at 55 County Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett or mail it to: *Wanderer Oscar Contest*, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. You may also enter online by going to our website at www.wanderer.com.

All those who pick correctly in all six (or the vast majority) of the categories will be entered to win a deluxe DVD Gift Basket and will earn bragging rights as published here in our February 28 issue. The deadline to enter is Friday, February 22 at 3:00 pm and the 80th Annual Oscar Presentation will be televised on Sunday, February 24 at 8:00 pm on ABC.

Limit of one entry per person and employees of *The Wanderer* are not eligible for consideration. Good luck!

BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS

- ☐ Cate Blanchette, *I'm Not There*
- ☐ Ruby Dee, *American Gangster*
- ☐ Saoirse Ronan, *Atonement*
- ☐ Amy Ryan, *Gone Baby Gone*
- ☐ Tilda Swinton, *Michael Clayton*

BEST ACTRESS

- ☐ Cate Blanchette, *Elizabeth: The Golden Age*
- ☐ Julie Christie, *Away From Her*
- ☐ Marion Cotillard, *La Vie En Rose*
- ☐ Laura Linney, *The Savages*
- ☐ Ellen Page, *Juno*

BEST DIRECTOR

- ☐ Julian Schnabel, *The Diving Bell and the Butterfly*
- ☐ Jason Reitman, *Juno*
- ☐ Tony Gilroy, *Michael Clayton*
- ☐ Joel and Ethan Coen, *No Country for Old Men*
- ☐ Paul Thomas Anderson, *There Will Be Blood*

BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR

- ☐ Casey Affleck, *The Assassination of Jesse James*
- ☐ Javier Bardem, *No Country for Old Men*
- ☐ Hal Holbrook, *Into the Wild*
- ☐ Philip Seymour Hoffman, *Charlie Wilson's War*
- ☐ Tom Wilkinson, *Michael Clayton*

BEST ACTOR

- ☐ George Clooney, *Michael Clayton*
- ☐ Daniel Day-Lewis, *There Will Be Blood*
- ☐ Johnny Depp, *Sweeney Todd*
- ☐ Tommy Lee Jones, *In the Valley of Elah*
- ☐ Viggo Mortensen, *Eastern Promises*

BEST PICTURE

- ☐ *Atonement*
- ☐ *Juno*
- ☐ *Michael Clayton*
- ☐ *No Country for Old Men*
- ☐ *There Will Be Blood*

Submitted by

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TOWN: _____ STATE: _____

ZIP CODE: _____ PHONE: _____

- Ellis Island, Statue of Liberty and Little Italy: On May 20 join the COA for a bus ride to New York, ferry to Ellis Island, Museum tours and dinner in Little Italy. Expected cost to be \$96. (based on number attending). If this is something you would enjoy, and we will have fun, call and reserve your seat.

- Library Van Service (now every Saturday) – Call COA by Friday to schedule pick up at 9:00 am on Saturday.

- Cribbage: on Tuesdays at 11:00 am. A fun game that exercises the brain, too.

Urinetown at Tabor

Tabor Academy will present the musical *Urinetown*, winner of three Tony awards, on February 21, 22 and 23 at 7:30 pm in The Fireman Performing Auditorium, Hoyt Hall on the Tabor campus. This show proves that a bad title will not prevent a hit show. *Urinetown* will be produced by the talented cast and crew of over 65 Tabor students.

According to director John Heavey, the “audience is welcomed into the world of the stage where the spectators will be brought into the machinery of the show itself in which characters speak directly to the audience about political corruption, corporate greed, revolution, and even love and romance. Also, *Urinetown* pokes fun at the genre of musical theatre, parodying many musicals including *Les Miserables* and the choreography of Bob Fosse.”

In the midst of witty dialogue, satirical jabs, and compelling songs, *Urinetown* sneaks in a serious message about the importance of conserving natural resources even though “people don’t want to hear that their way of life is unsustainable,” as summed up by Officer Lockstock, the narrator role filled by Barnstable resident Tom Scudder ‘08.

Other lead roles include Little Sally played by Johanna Wickemeyer ‘08 of Rochester; the “hero” Bobby Strong acted by Ned Riseley ‘08 of Marion; Hope Cladwell the ingenue performed by Ashley Douglas ‘08 of Marion; and Marion resident Caleb Corliss ‘09 playing the “villain” Caldwell B. Cladwell. Olivia Forshtay ‘09 plays Penelope Pennywise, supervisor of Public Amenity #9

Full Service Yard
Inside/Outside Storage

Moorings
Mooring Service

Aucoot Cove Boat Yard, Inc.

P.O. Box 1268, 127 Aucoot Road
Mattapoisett, MA 02739

(508) 758-2222 • Fax: (508) 758-9031

Builders of the Aucoot 10 & 14 Ft. Skiffs
Also 10 Ft. Marco Polo

Deliveries

and one of Cladwell’s assistants.

In addition to director John M. Heavey, the production staff includes David Horne, musical director, choreography by Samantha Brior-Jones, technical director Richard Van Voris, assistant technical director Susan Kissler, and costume design by Annemarie Fredricks.

Other local student cast members include Rochester resident Kyler Canastra ‘09, Ayla Richards ‘08 of Plymouth, Sarah Macdonald ‘08 of Duxbury, Wareham resident Rose Reilly ‘08, Emily and Ben Bungert ‘11 of Mattapoisett, Debi Lindsey ‘10 from Wareham, Cady Hraskey ‘09, Kristen Walsh ‘10, Sammi Muther ‘10, Rachel Adams ‘09 and Meagan McCarthy ‘10 all heralding from Marion, and Hanna Lipman ‘09 from New Bedford.

Other student contributors include stage manager Katherine Maloy ‘08 set design by Chelsea Modlin ‘08 and Rochester resident Shaelyn O’ Reilly ‘08 and lighting design by Betsy Pierce ‘08 of Marion.

This show will be a sure crowd pleaser and should not be missed! Tickets may be ordered in advance for \$9 by contacting: musicaltheatertix@taboracademy.org or purchased at the door for \$10.

Miss Senior Southcoast

Are you over 65 years or older and would like to try your luck at the title of Miss Senior Southcoast 2008?

The pageant is being sponsored by Alden Court Nursing Home of Fairhaven. It’s something new and not

ORGANIZE IT! Home and Office Solutions

Professional assistance in getting
more organized in your daily routine

Phone/Fax 508 • 758 • 8585
E-mail: info@organizetbyanne.com
www.organizeitbyanne.com

All business and personal client information will be kept strictly confidential.

design by: www.elinphotography.com



**OPENING
MARCH 1!**
Antique Furniture &
Accessories,
Stained Glass, Glassware
& Much More
5 Fairhaven Road,
Route 6, Mattapoisett
508-758-2121



MOVIE REVIEW

Time Passages

By Rob Gonsalves
www.robsmovievault.com

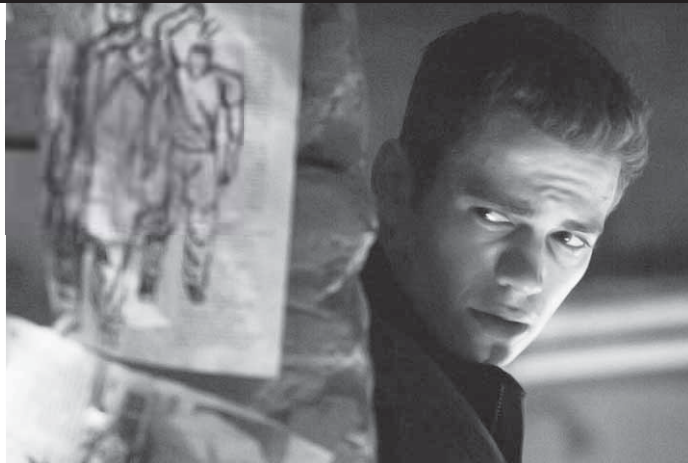
Jumper. Starring Hayden Christensen and Samuel L. Jackson. Directed by Doug Liman. Running time: 88 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13.

In the thick portfolio of superpowers, teleportation ranks a bit low on the excitement scale. You're here — now you're there. I suppose it's useful if you're in a hurry, or if you want to beat traffic. (I'd see a lot more movies if I could "jump" to any theater I wanted.) The protagonist of *Jumper*, David Rice (Hayden Christensen), doesn't use his space-hopping for the greater good or even for anything interesting. He sits in his lush New York loft, paid for with money he stole from banks (he "jumps" into vaults and makes off with bags of cash), and watches world catastrophes unfold on TV without lifting a finger. People are trapped in a flood! Who can get in there to save them? Not David. He doesn't care.

Jumper might have been the story of how this jaded, affectless young man learns to harness his powers to help mankind. It isn't, though. Heavily indebted to *X-Men* (by way of Steven Gould's 1992 young-adult novel), the movie sets David on a fight-and-retreat loop. David, you see, is but one in a long line of Jumpers, who have been persecuted for centuries by zealous Christian assassins known as Paladins. The Paladins' reasoning? "Nobody but God should have this power." Uh, okay. So why'd God give them the power in the first place? The Paladins aren't much on thinking the argument through.

So essentially all David does is run from the Paladins (whose leader is Samuel L. Jackson, carrying some sort of jumping-prohibitive cattle prod) and try to protect his high-school sweetheart (Rachel Bilson). Not much seems to be at stake. The Paladins don't even want to use the Jumpers for their own evil purposes; they just want them dead. It's a private conflict. I felt like quoting the guy in *Pulp Fiction*: "My name's Paul, and this is between y'all."

Did the director, Doug Liman, care much about the conflict either? Like other recent Liman films (*The Bourne Identity*, *Mr. and Mrs. Smith*), this just seems like a movie his agent said he should do. I wasn't a big fan of Liman's debut *Swingers*, but at least it had some personality and some humans, and his sophomore effort *Go* was fun enough. But it's clearer than ever that Liman is a hack, or, to put it more gently, a journeyman director who's only as good as the script. After a while, the mild novelty of seeing



Hayden Christensen go *whoosh* from one spot to another gets tiresome. Once or twice Liman actually uses the film language of jump cuts to convey the effect, but only once or twice. An experimental filmmaker could've made wild cinema out of this, but experimental filmmakers usually don't get handed \$85 million. Guys like Doug Liman do.

As a fellow Jumper who squats in a cluttered hideout and occasionally zips out to pick off a Paladin or two, Jamie Bell gives the film some much-needed humor and energy. He effortlessly swipes the movie out from under the dishwater-dull Christensen, presumably cast as the lead because of his *Star Wars* association. Even Teddy Dunn, as a baffled drunk who once bullied David, blows Christensen away. I'm prepared to eat my words if I ever get around to seeing *Shattered Glass* and *Life as a House*, in which Christensen is reputedly *not* like a cheeseburger without the cheese or the burger, but he definitely doesn't have the moxie for big special-effects movies. He and the equally bland Rachel Bilson were last-minute replacements for other actors, and it shows.

Jumper raked in \$26 million over a slow February weekend from moviegoers with nothing better to do, apparently. The movie's only 88 minutes long, but I found my mind wandering: Perhaps I could jump to a city art-house theater showing George Romero's *Diary of the Dead*, or the acclaimed *4 Months, 3 Weeks, 2 Days*, or the horror-comedy *Teeth*, or the Lebanese comedy-drama *Caramel*. Those films, and many others you haven't seen advertised *ad nauseum*, are out there in a tiny handful of theaters. *Jumper* opened on 3,428 screens. Remember that when they start gassing on about the magic of movies on Oscar night. They're talking about the movies you never get to see in theaters, not movies like *Jumper*.

• FLAGSHIP CINEMA 12 •

500 Kings Highway, New Bedford, MA.
Movie Hotline: 508-985-3000

Friday, Feb. 22 through Thursday, Feb. 28:

Vantage Point (PG13) – 1:15, 4:20, 7:15, 9:30
Charlie Bartlett (R) – 1:30, 4:25, 7:00, 9:35
The Spiderwick Chronicles (PG) – 12:55, 3:00, 5:05, 7:15, 9:25
Step Up 2: The Streets (PG13) – 1:20, 4:00, 7:25, 9:35
Jumper (PG13) – 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:20, 9:45
Definitely, Maybe (PG13) – 1:35, 4:00, 6:50, 9:30
Fool's Good (PG13) – 1:25, 4:15, 6:55, 9:20
The Eye (PG13) – 1:50, 4:30, 7:05, 9:10
Juno (PG13) – 1:45, 4:05, 6:45, 9:00
There Will Be Blood (R) – 1:00, 4:10, 7:30
Cloverfield (PG13) – 4:35
Meet the Spartans (PG13) – 1:05, 7:35, 9:35
Welcome Home Roscoe Jenkins (PG13) – 7:10, 9:40
Alvin and the Chipmunks (PG) – 1:00, 3:00, 5:00

• REGAL NICKELODEON 5 •

742 Nathan Ellis Highway, North Falmouth, MA.
Movie Line: 1-800-326-3264, theater code: 450

Friday, Feb. 22 through Thursday, Feb. 28:

In Bruges (R) – Fri: 3:50, 7:10, 9:30; Sat/Sun: 12:50, 3:50, 7:10, 9:30; Mon-Thu: 3:50, 7:00
No Country for Old Men (R) – Fri: 3:20, 6:40, 9:15; Sat/Sun: 12:30, 3:20, 6:40, 9:15; Mon-Thu: 3:40, 6:50
The Savages (R) – Fri: 7:00; Sat/Sun: 1:00, 7:00; Mon-Thu: 3:55
Persepolis (PG13) – Fri-Sun: 4:00, 9:25; Mon-Thu: 7:05
There Will Be Blood (R) – Fri: 3:40, 7:20; Sat/Sun: 12:20, 3:40, 7:20; Mon-Thu: 3:20, 6:30
Atonement (R) – Fri: 3:30, 6:50, 9:20; Sat/Sun: 12:40, 3:30, 6:50, 9:20; Mon-Thu: 3:30, 6:40

• FLAGSHIP CINEMA 8 •

39 Doty Street (Route 58), Wareham, MA.
Movie Hotline: 508-291-4100

Friday, Feb. 22 through Thursday, Feb. 28:

Vantage Point (PG13) – 1:45, 4:10, 7:00, 9:20
Jumper (PG13) – 1:50, 4:05, 7:15, 9:30
Step Up 2: The Streets (PG13) – 1:15, 3:55, 7:10, 9:25
Juno (PG13) – 1:35, 4:20, 7:20, 9:40
Fool's Gold (PG13) – 1:20, 4:15, 6:50, 9:10
The Spiderwick Chronicles (PG) – 1:30, 3:50, 6:55, 9:15
Alvin and the Chipmunks (PG) – 1:25
The Eye (PG13) – 4:25, 7:05, 9:35
27 Dresses (PG13) – 4:00
The Bucket List (PG13) – 1:40, 6:45, 9:05



HATHAWAY'S LAWN & YARD CARE

Noah Hathaway

140 Snipatuit Road
Rochester, MA 02770

Cell: 508-728-2330
Home/Office: 508-763-2534

- Landscaping
- Snow Plowing
- Kubota Services

- Mowing
- Deliveries
- Dump Runs

to be confused with the National Senior Sweetheart pageant, according to Sharon Jensen, Director of Marketing at Alden Court.

"There are so many beautiful and talented senior ladies in the community who love to perform and that may be empowered by an opportunity like this," Ms. Jensen said.

Currently they are seeking ladies over 65 years of age in the community who will participate in semi-formal wear, talent and interview segments during the pageant. A panel of judges including local title holders will judge the pageant and choose the winners. Miss Senior South-coast 2008 will win a trip for two to Cape Cod among other prizes and will be invited throughout the year at their leisure to appear for local community events!

For more information or to sign up, please contact Sharon Jensen at 508-991-8600, extension 143. There is absolutely no cost for entrance to the program, so join in the fun!

Marion Senior Stretch

Senior Stretch and Exercise, a 10-week stretch and exercise class, meets every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, from 9:30 to 10:30 am, at the First Congregational Church Fellowship Hall in Marion. The cost for the 10-week session is \$20 for two days a week or \$30 for three days a week. The first class is free and you may join a session at any time. Each class includes low-impact aerobics,



GREEN WEDDING?

NATURAL WEDDING FAVORS

NATURAL CANDLES

for info. contact
EARTH SISTERS

508-577-2152

NEW TO MARKET MATTAPOISETT

1.6 acre GENERAL BUSINESS site. Includes; town sewer, 1,612 sq. ft. dwelling, and an 840 sq. ft. barn. \$ 525,000.

*10,050 sq. ft. building lot, town sewer, central location.
\$175,000*

4 bedroom home with extra building lot. \$425,000 for the package

2 bedroom condo unit, nice neighborhood, \$250,000

*2 bedroom condo unit with garage,
nice neighborhood \$260,000*

RENTALS:

*Year round 2 bedroom duplex apartment, full basement
\$1100 per/mo*

1 bedroom apartment with washer & dryer \$700 per month

Call

Fisher & Rocha Inc.
508-758-6738

LAW OFFICE OF

PATRICIA A. MCARDLE & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

Aggressive Representation **Without** Driving to Boston

TRIAL WORK

Non-criminal cases
Property Disputes
Contract Disputes
Debt Collection/Defense
Probating estates/
Will contests
Zoning/Land use issues

TRANSACTIONS

Real Estate closings
Contract drafting/
negotiations
Estate Planning
IRC §1031 transactions
Zoning/Land use issues
Tax Abatements
Corporate filings

8 County Road, Suite 4, Mattapoisett, MA 02739
(508) 758-9449 • Fax (508) 758-4294
McArdlePatricia@msn.com
Licensed in MA and RI

TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights February 10 through February 16, 2008:

- Benson Brook Avenue – adult arrest (operating under the influence of liquor: second offense)
- Wareham Road – larceny/past
- Front Street – found property
- County Road – animal complaint
- Moorings Road – suspicious activity
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle complaint
- Moorings Road – motor vehicle accident/personal injury
- Mill Street – officer wanted
- Route 195 West – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Front Street – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Mill Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Front Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Tucker Lane – animal complaint
- Front Street – motor vehicle theft/past
- Dexter Road – waterways complaint
- Mill Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Mill Street – assist other police department
- Dexter Road – order of protection
- Wareham Road – officer wanted
- Washburn Park Road – vandalism/past
- Route 195 West – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Benson Brook Road – larceny/past
- Spring Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Inland Road – lockout
- Front Street – officer wanted.

MATTAPOISETT

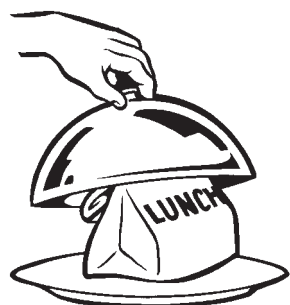
Log highlights February 11 through February 17, 2008:

- County Road – suspicious persons
- Alderberry Lane – fire
- County Road – alarm/bank hold-up
- Acushnet Road – medical assist
- County Road – animal complaint
- Marion Road – suspicious persons
- Atkinson Way – alarm fire
- Fairhaven Road – suspicious persons
- Marion Road – suspicious persons
- Water Street – fire
- Marion Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Old Brandt Island Road – animal control
- Route 195 West – motor vehicle crash
- Wolf Island Road – safety/road hazard
- Fairhaven Road – safety/road hazard
- Fairhaven Road – motor vehicle accident
- Ned's Point Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- County Road – suspicious persons
- Ocean View Avenue – officer wanted
- North Street – safety/road hazard
- Tinkham Hill Road – fire
- Eldorado Drive – disturbance
- Marion Road – domestic disturbance
- Marina Drive – domestic disturbance
- Marion Road – unwanted person
- County Road – harassing/annoying phone calls
- Crystal Spring Road – brush fire
- Brandt Island Road – motor vehicle accident/hit and run.

ROCHESTER

Log highlights February 12 through February 19, 2008:

- Walnut Plain Road – fire
- Vaughan Hill Road – traffic hazard
- High Street – fire
- Neck Road – burglar alarm
- Cranberry Highway – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Mattapoisett Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Rounseville Road – ambulance request
- Mary's Pond Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Sarah Sherman Road – animal control
- Mary's Pond Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Dexter Lane – restraining order service
- Snipatuit Road – officer wanted
- North Avenue – suspicious motor vehicle
- Walnut Plain Road – animal complaint
- Walnut Plain Road – adult arrest (operating under the influence of liquor, reckless operation of motor vehicle, speeding)
- Marion Road – adult arrest
- Snipatuit Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- County Road – suspicious person
- Burgess Avenue – suspicious activity
- Spruce Street – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Featherbed Lane – annoying phone calls
- Ryder Road – simple threats.



MATTAPOISETT / MARION / ROCHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Monday, February 25: Hamburger with/without cheese, potato chips, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday, February 26: Chicken tenders, mashed potato, fruit, choice of milk.
Wednesday, February 27: Hot dog, macaroni and cheese, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk.
Thursday, February 28: American pizza, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk.

Friday, February 29: Soup, grilled cheese, tuna, fruit, choice of milk.

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, February 25: Potato leek soup, lemon chicken, mixed vegetables, multigrain roll, orange.
Tuesday, February 26: Swedish meatballs, noodles, Harvard beets, wheat bread, pineapple in light syrup.
Wednesday, February 27: Roast turkey with gravy, cranberry sauce, whipped potatoes, winter squash, multigrain roll, birthday cake, graham wafer.
Thursday, February 28: Liver and onions, red bliss potatoes, green beans, Parker House roll, vanilla pudding, sugar-free pudding.

Friday, February 29: Stuffed shells, Italian blend vegetables, fruit muffins, pears in light syrup.

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Monday, February 25: Chicken tenders, mashed potato, vegetable, stuffed crust pizza, peanut butter and jelly, pizza dippers, soup, pretzel.
Tuesday, February 26: Breakfast for lunch: waffle sticks, hash brown, sausage, cinnamon apples, pizza, pretzel, soup.
Wednesday, February 27: Spaghetti with/without meat sauce, garlic bread, vegetable, pizza, soup, pretzel.
Thursday, February 28: Chicken nuggets, spiral fries, vegetable, pizza, soup, pretzel.

Friday, February 29: Hamburger with/without cheese, potato wedges, vegetable, pizza, fried chicken, pretzel.

OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

Monday, February 25: Cheese burger, potato puffs, green beans, chilled fruit.
Tuesday, February 26: Chicken salad roll, spicy fries, carrots, applesauce, pudding.
Wednesday, February 27: Rib-a-cue, French fries, peas, mixed fruit.
Thursday, February 28: Sloppy Joe, cold cut sandwich, French fries, corn, pears.
Friday, February 29: Egg salad, pizza, pretzels, veggie sticks, peaches.

FRAN COSTA...Custom Draperies
 Extraordinary work at very reasonable prices!
 francosta9@aol.com 508-264-8883

weights and stretching. The funding is provided by the Friends of the Marion Visiting Nurses Association.

Marion Art Center

Mostly Maritime

An exhibition of "Mostly Maritime" acrylic paintings by Stephen Cook opens at the Marion Art Center on Sunday, March 2 with a reception to meet the artist from 5:00 until 7:00 pm. Mr. Cook's work is representational, though often a painting will start out as a purely abstract thumbnail design, sometimes even before a subject is decided upon. Clear, taut, contrapuntal design is a vital first consideration. He tries to keep shapes large and simple, with large areas of color setting off smaller, more detailed forms. A lifetime in illustration has left him with firm respect for considerations of draftsmanship and perspective and with an appreciation for narrative and immediacy.

Stephen Cook received a BFA from Rhode Island School of Design in Illustration and is a certified art teacher in Massachusetts public schools, all grades. He has exhibited in many galleries on the east coast and maintains a studio in New Bedford. His work is in the permanent collections of Rhode Island School of Design, the City of New Bedford, and in numerous private collections. He had a two-year "vacation" in mid-career, at sea with the New England fishery, which helped set the course for his choice of his favorite subject matter in painting — hence the title of his one-man show at the Marion Art Center.

The exhibition will be installed in both galleries at the art center, located on the corner of Main and Pleasant Streets in Marion through April 9. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is free.

Annie Auditions

Auditions for *Annie, Jr.* will be held at the Marion

FINE Furniture Restoration
 Free Estimates 11 years Experience
 Do your Heirloom Antiques need some TLC?
 Call Michael 508-997-1079
 Hand Crafted Custom Furniture
www.floatingstonewoodworks.com

George's Take-Out Deli & Meat Market
 50 Marion Road, Mattapoisett
 508-758-3222



- Open Year Round!
- Call for Daily Sandwich Specials
- Homemade Soups Every Day
- Still the Best Prices on Boar's Head Deli

Hours

Mon. & Sat. 9-5

Tues.—Fri. 9-6

Closed only on Sundays

For All Your Insurance Needs



North Easton

North Easton
 Village Shoppes
 285 Washington St.
 508-238-0056

Bridgewater

Winter Commons
 180 Winter Street
 508-697-5300

Marion

362 Front Street
 508-748-9577

Visit our website at www.MorseIns.com

MILESTONES

Deaths

George F. "Fred" Randall, Sr., 68, of Rochester passed away Saturday, February 16, 2008 at St. Luke's Hospital after a brief illness. He was husband of the late Irene (Bariteau) Randall.

Born in Acushnet, he was son of the late George Cudworth Randall and the late Priscilla (Winterbottom) Randall. He was employed by Andrews and Pierce, Inc. of North Abington until its closing in 1982. He then worked for Christie Transfer until it closed in 1992. He also worked as a driver for Shaw's Supermarkets, delivering to stores and as a part-time driver for Penske Truck Leasing of New Bedford.

Mr. Randall was the first father and son to serve as Fire Chief for the Town of Rochester. He was a member of the last graduating class from the former George Waterman School in 1953, presently known as the Rochester Fire Station. He was a member of the Massachusetts Police and Plymouth County Firefighters Association and a retired member of the Local #653 Teamsters Union. Mr. Randall enjoyed shellfishing, but most of all loved to be with his children and grandchildren.

Survivors include a daughter: Brenda L. Patnaude of New Bedford; 3 sons: George F. Randall, Jr. of Fairhaven, Robert E. Randall, Sr. of Rochester and David A. Randall, Sr. of Rochester, with whom he lived; 7 grandchildren: George F. Randall III, Jamie L. Patnaude, Corey J. Randall, Robert E. Randall, Jr., Tiffany M. Randall, David A. Randall, Jr. and Stacey M. Andrade; a great granddaughter: Carissa M. Caban; a sister: Priscilla (Randall) Lyons of Owings, MD; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Arrangements by the Kirby Funeral Home, New Bedford, MA. Memorial donations may be made to: Rochester Firefighters Association, 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA 02770.

Wanda (Guzik) Newett, 91, formerly of Fairhaven, died Friday, February 15, 2008, after a long illness, at the Sippican Healthcare Center in Marion. She was the wife of the late Joseph E. Newett.

Born and raised in New Bedford, the daughter of the late Peter and the late Annie (Sowa) Guzik, she lived most of her life in Fairhaven. Mrs. Newett was a stitcher and sample maker for thirty years at New Bedford Manufacturing until her retirement in 1978. She was a member of the Friends of the Elderly, enjoyed square dancing with her husband, and later line dancing at the Acushnet Council on Aging.

She is survived by a son, Robert E. Newett of Fairhaven; two daughters, Barbara A. Soucy of East Freetown and Patricia Laflamme and her husband David of Fairhaven; a sister, Cecelia Bowden of Marion; a brother, Stephen A. Guzik of Miami Beach, FL; six grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements by The Fairhaven Funeral Home, 117 Main Street, Fairhaven.

Robert M. Brienzo, 56, of Acushnet, died Monday, February 18, 2008, at St. Luke's Hospital, after a long illness. He was the husband of Pamela J. (Cunningham) Brienzo, married 27 years; and son of the late Joseph and Priscilla (Deslaurier) Brienzo.

He was born in New Bedford and lived all of his life in Acushnet. He graduated from New Bedford Vocational High School and was a communicant of St. Francis Xavier Church.

He was employed by Old Rochester Regional High School as a custodian and grounds keeper. He was a member of the Sons of Italy and in his leisure time he enjoyed motorcycles, landscaping his yard, being with his puppies; and loved being with his family.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Lisa A. Brienzo of New Bedford and Lori M., and Lynn A. Brienzo, both of Acushnet; two brothers, Dennis J. Brienzo and his wife, Sandra of Fairhaven and Raymond A. Brienzo and his wife, Elaine of Acushnet; three sisters, Patricia Tomkiewicz and her husband, Frederick, and Rosemarie Sylvia, both of Carver and Donnalee Souza and her husband, Frank of West Wareham; several nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews.

Arrangements by the Rock Funeral Home, New Bedford, MA.

LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR BENEFITS

- After Care Planner
- Dignity® Funeral & Cremation Plans
- Bereavement Travel Program
- 24-Hour Compassion Helpline®
- National Transferability of Prearranged Services



FAIRLAWN HOME OF MEMORIAL TRIBUTE

180 WASHINGTON STREET • FAIRHAVEN, MA 02719 • 508-999-5100



A Service Family Affiliate of AFFS/Service Corp. Int'l., 492 Rock St., Fall River, MA 02720 (508) 676-2454



**DIRK MURPHY
CONSTRUCTION**

Build It Green!

Building or Remodeling with a focus on energy efficiency, sustainability & non-toxic materials.

Dirk Murphy
Licensed & Insured
508-758-4266
builditgreen@comcast.net

Art Center on Sunday, March 9 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. The award-winning musical has been adapted for community theaters, and the cast calls for adults and children (Grades 4 and up). Nancy Sparklin will be the music director with Wendy Bidstrup and Annie Giddings as co-directors. Productions are June 13-15, 2008. Rehearsals will be on Sundays and Mondays. For more information, please call the Marion Art Center at 508-748-1266.

Dance Program

The Marion Art Center is pleased to announce that Teah Mazzoni has joined the staff as Instructor of Dance. The Dance Program for 3-5 year olds has reopened on Wednesdays, 4:00 to 4:45 pm. There will be three six-week sessions culminating in a mini-recital in June. Tuition for each session is \$75 for MAC members and \$85 for non-members.

Teah Mazzoni is an enthusiastic and bright young woman. Dance has always been a large part of her life, and she looks forward to the opportunity to teach at the Art Center. She began her dance career at Sherry Gold Studios and later was a competition dancer at Kathy Medina's Studio in Rochester. At 17 she began teaching and choreographing for the 3-5 age group. At 18 she was crowned Miss Dance Olympus 1998 and performed as one of the 15 Headliner Dancers at the National Competition in Atlantic City, NJ.

She attended the University of Massachusetts, Amherst and received a BS, Magna Cum Laude. Although

Michael Muldoon ELECTRICIAN

Tel. & Fax **(508) 758-2390**

MA Lic # E51262
Mattapoisett, MA

*residential - commercial - industrial
fully insured*



VILLAGE CARPET & TILE

"The Finest Showroom this Side of the Canal"

KEEPIN' IT GREEN!



Dealing with
Recycled Products



Cork • Bamboo • Carpet • Glass • Mosaics

Renovating? Remodeling?

New Selection of Area Rugs

In stock and custom ordered

10 years design and layout experience.

FREE "IN HOME" CONSULTATIONS

Deal directly with the owner Jason Waskiewicz

- Carpet • Tile • Hardwood • Laminate
- Vinyl • Bamboo • Glass Tile • Exotic Stone

508-758-2249

Corner of Rte 6 & Main St. Mattapoisett

GLASER GLASS Corp.

Morris Glaser Glass
Glaser Auto Glass

*Glaser by Name...Glazier by Trade
Quality and Service Since 1921*

COMPLETE GLASS SERVICE

- Auto Glass
- Glass Tabletops
- Insulated Units
- Screens & Sashes Repaired
- Plastic/Lexan (scratch resistant)
- Mirrors: Polished, Beveled, Framed
- Specialty Glass for Kitchen Cabinet Doors
- Glass for Frames
- Custom Stationary Storm and Screen Frames
- Frameless Shower Door Glass & Hardware

1-800-942-6444

2 Convenient Locations:

1265 Purchase Street
New Bedford, MA
02740
508-999-6497

910 Pleasant Street
Fall River, MA 02720
508-676-1464

Super Crossword

I APPEAL

SALOME'S STARS

ACROSS

1 Commedia dell'—
5 One of the Mavericks
9 Seraglio
14 Telescope view
19 Clark's co-worker
20 "An apple —"
21 Catherine of "Home Alone"
22 Mindful
23 Start of a remark by John Yeck
25 — button
26 Neighbor of Nigeria
27 Confused
28 Artist
30 Mondrian
30 Apprehend
32 Winter hazard
33 Lincoln or Zumwalt
35 Swerve
39 Slavic soup
42 Part 2 of remark
47 Ring stat
48 Pull the Trigger?
49 — nez
50 Western lake
53 Fit for farming
56 Patois
58 Rag man?
60 — lily

61 Raison d'—
62 Big hit?
64 Creepy
65 Word on a fuse
68 Suffix with racket
69 Farm feature
70 Spice-rack item
71 Part 3 of remark
74 Part 4 of remark
77 Skin problem
78 Monte Rosa, for one
79 Dion's "Runaround" girl
80 Mitchell homestead
81 Glowing
82 Rule
84 "— Angel" ('60 smash)
86 Persona
90 Publishing magnate
92 Diva
94 Renata
94 Author's afterthought
95 Asia's mistress
96 With 91 Down, fiber source
97 Urchins
99 Fuss and feathers

100 Part 5 of remark
105 Patron
108 Chore
109 "The Longest Day" author
110 Baby rat
111 Lady of the lea
113 Eastern discipline
116 Furious
120 Part owner?
123 Tower material?
127 End of remark
129 Tantrum
130 Johnson of "Brief Encounter"
131 Sometimes it's sweet
132 Stylish
133 Gold bug?
134 Talent
135 Couturier
136 Diner fare

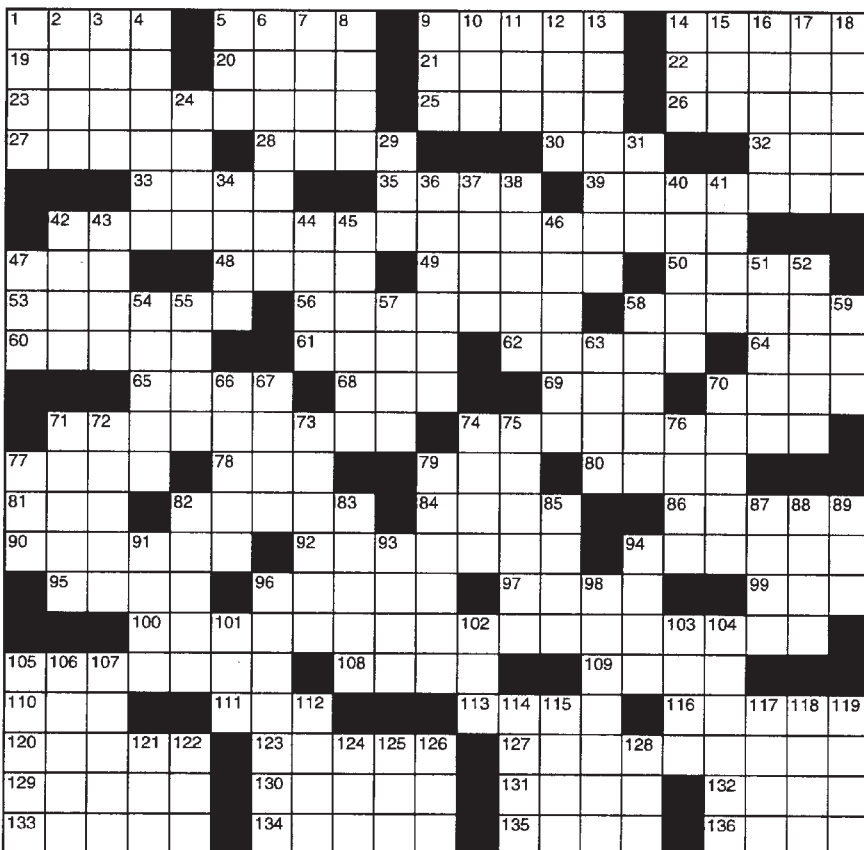
DOWN

1 See
87 Down
2 Carrot or parsnip
3 Canterbury cans
4 Value
5 Humbug lead-in
6 Fatty
7 Punjabi princess
8 Anklebiter

9 Behave like a bunny
10 "Gotcha!"
11 Sought office
12 "— go brag!"
13 A la King?
14 Bandleader
15 Be in debt
16 Hyper
17 Fromm or Segal
18 Doctrine
24 Biggest part of a fish?
29 Recipe abbr.
31 Reggae's Marley
34 Female zebra
36 German astronomer
37 New York county
38 Tow truck feature
40 Hearsay
41 TV's "One — Beyond"
42 Gumbo veggie
43 Stable youngster
44 Aspect
45 Pulls together
46 They're very well-armed
47 Tic — -toe
51 Islamic deity

52 Muralist Rivera
54 Point the finger at
55 Revere's signal
57 Bailiwick
58 Elfman of "Dharma & Greg"
59 Born
63 Proper
66 Wilder works
67 Wd. segment
70 Wise guy
71 Descendant
72 Prelim
73 Lack of feeling
74 Feed a fire
75 Use another blue pencil?
76 Faucet problem
77 Landon or Kjellin
79 Position
82 Jennifer of "Flash-dance"
83 Most minute
85 "The Secret of —" ('82 film)
87 With 1 Down, "Sweet Liberty" director
88 Shiva and Ganesha
89 Conceit
91 See

96 Across
93 —
94 California
94 Discern
96 "Message to Michael" singer
98 Bible feature
101 Affliction
102 Overhead item?
103 Couple
104 Add nutrients
105 Tic
106 Designer Emilio
107 Made a choice
112 Get — (retaliate)
114 Bismarck or Kruger
115 Purpose
117 Turkish title
118 "— can't be!"
119 Impress
121 — roll
122 Legal matter
124 Slangy suffix
125 Rocker
126 Babbie
128 Med. test



©2008 King Features Syndicate, Inc. World rights reserved.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Stop being the wool-gathering Lamb, and start turning that dream project into reality. You have the ideas, the drive and the charisma to persuade others to follow your lead. So do it.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You've scored some big successes. But remember that all hardworking Ferdinands and Ferdinandas need some time to restore their energies and refresh their spirits.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You're gaining a stronger mental image of what you're trying to achieve. Now look for the facts that will help get this to develop from a concept into a solid proposal.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Some of you eager-to-please Moon Children might want to delay some decisions until midweek, when you can again think more with your head than your heart.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A new business venture seems to offer everything you've been looking for. But be careful that that rosy picture doesn't betray traces of red ink under the surface.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A volatile situation needs the kind of thoughtful and considerate care you can provide right now. There'll be plenty of time later to analyze what might have gone wrong.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your loyalty to a friend in a tough situation earns you respect from people you care about.

Those who criticize you don't understand what friendship is all about.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your strong work ethic is rewarded with the kind of challenging opportunity you love to tackle. Now, go ahead and celebrate with family and/or close friends.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A legal matter you thought had been finally resolved could require a second look. But don't make any moves without consulting your lawyer.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Taking charge is what you like to do, and since you do it so well, expect to be asked to lead a special group. This could open an exciting new vista for you.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) An important matter might wind up being entrusted to you for handling. The responsibility is heavy, but you'll have support from people able and eager to help.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A spouse or partner might make an important, even life-changing, suggestion. Consider it carefully. It could hold some of the answers you've both been looking for.

BORN THIS WEEK: You always try to do the right thing, and for the right reasons. No wonder people have come to depend on you.

(c) 2008 King Features Synd., Inc.

**BSA**BRAMAN SURVEYING & ASSOCIATES, LLC
LAND SURVEYORS & CIVIL ENGINEERS

ROBERT A. BRAMAN JR., RLS

508-295-2128
140 MARION ROAD • WAREHAM, MA 02571
Email: bramansurveying@verizon.net

her heart was dedicated to dance, she had an equal love of working with children and pursued a Master of Education Degree at Bridgewater State College where she graduated with a GPA of 4.0 in 2007. She currently is teaching second grade at Rochester Memorial School.

For more information and registration, please call the Marion Art Center 508-748-1266, or stop by during gallery hours: Tuesday to Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Rochester Senior Center

- Friends of the Rochester Senior Center: The Friends will have a meeting on Tuesday, March 4 at 10:00 am. All are welcome to attend.

- RI Flower Show – RI Flower and Garden Show in Providence on Thursday, February 21. Leave at 8:30 am, return at 4:00 pm. Tickets \$14, paid in advance. Seats are limited so sign up soon.

- The Pampered Chef Returns – Rochester's very own Pampered Chef Linda Medeiros returns on Monday, February 25 at 11:00 am to offer another wonderful luncheon cooking demonstration at the Rochester Senior Center. The theme this month is "Lite Cooking." Stay for the luncheon at 12:00 once the demonstration is over and sample the results. No charge for the program but donations are appreciated. Please sign up in advance.

- Collections – For the month of February, check out the photography works/collections of Elizabeth

Excellent References

Dan Gibbs

508-287-9707

GIBBSFULLY
INSURED**ROOFING & REMODELING**FREE
ESTIMATES**508 748 1281**

Quality Work At Affordable Prices!

**ADDITIONS - DECKS - HARDWOOD FLOORS
PAINTING - SIDING - WINDOWS - DOORS & MORE**

The Bedford Merchant

Just In...

**FRAMED
SAYINGS**

and

**WOODEN
SIGNS***We now accept Yankee
Candle coupons*

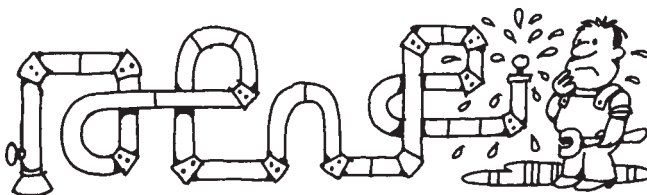
Gift Certificates

Monday-Saturday 9-5; Sunday 12-4

Visa & MasterCard Accepted

28 William Street, New Bedford, MA • 997-9194*In the heart of New Bedford's Historic District***HEATH****GARDE**
Plumbing & Heating*Residential & Commercial***508-758-2455**

Repairs • Remodels • New Construction

*It's time to upgrade your old heating
system to save money this winter*
45 years experience

Master Plumber #9794 - Licensed Men

LEGAL NOTICES	LEGAL NOTICES	LEGAL NOTICES
<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT PLANNING BOARD Notice of Planning Board Hearing Relative to Proposed Zoning By-Law Amendments Pursuant to G.L. c. 40A, § 5</p> <p>The Planning Board of the Town of Mattapoisett will hold a public hearing to discuss proposed amendments to the Town's Zoning By-Laws. The public hearing will be held as follows; Monday March 17, 2008 at 7:30 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall Conference Room, 16 Main Street Mattapoisett, MA.</p> <p>The subject matter of the proposed amendments is/are as indicated below. The complete text relative to the proposed amendments are available for inspection during regular business hours at the following places: Mattapoisett Town Clerk's Office, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA, first floor; Planning Board Office, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett MA, second floor.</p> <p>Amendment of Article 6.4 Frontage is defined as the boundary between the lot and the abutting street line, located between two side lot lines or, in the case of a lot abutting on two or more intersecting streets (corner lot), such lot shall be required to have the applicable minimum legal frontage on only one such street, which shall be measured from the intersection of one sideline to the intersection of street lines or to the middle of the corner rounding curve connecting such street lines, said lot is also required to maintain front yard setback lines from each street the lot abuts. All driveways and actual vehicular access to such lot must be located on the legal frontage, unless a written waiver is granted by the Mattapoisett Planning Board after a determination of whether the requested waiver would promote vehicular and pedestrian safety and aesthetics of the neighborhood.</p> <p>ARTICLE 6.4.1 LOT SHAPE Said Lot must be capable of containing a square of not less than eighty (80%) percent of the required frontage, with one side of square located on the legal frontage line. Planning Board 02/21, 02/28</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER CONSERVATION COMMISSION AND TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE</p> <p>A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by Neil Kidney, P.O. Box 416, Rochester, MA 02770. The applicant proposes to construct a 20' X 20' shed on a slab, approximately 50' from a cranberry bog on the adjacent property.</p> <p>The subject property is located at 69 Old Tuck Bog Road in Rochester and is designated as Lot #15E, on Assessors' Map #14. The property owner of record is Neil Kidney, P.O. Box 416, Rochester, MA. This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law. Rosemary Smith, Chairman 02/21</p> <hr/>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE The Marion Community Preservation Committee will meet on Wednesday, March 5, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the conference room at the Town House, Two Spring Street, Marion. The purpose of the meeting is to review FY'09 CPA fund applications. Loretta B. Schaefer, Chairman 02/14, 02/21</p> <hr/> <p>OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester, Massachusetts</p> <p>LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT Pursuant to Chapter 71, Section 38N of the Massachusetts General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Old Rochester Regional District School Committee regarding the budget for the 2008-09 school year at 6:30 PM on Tuesday, March 4, 2008, Cafeteria, Old Rochester Regional School High School, 135 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts. 02/21</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 5, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE of the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for a Determination of Applicability #41D-1347 submitted by the MARION LANDS TRUST, c/o DAVID CROLL, for site improvements at 369 Wareham Street. Work includes stripping existing parking spaces, adding three parking spaces and loaming and seeding within the disturbed areas. The site is further identified as Lot 134 on Marion Assessors' Map 11. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 02/21</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 5, 2008 at 7:10 PM in the TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE of the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for a Determination of Applicability #41D-1348 submitted by the THOMAS G. STEMBERG to upgrade a sewage disposal system at 114 Point Road, further identified as Lot 20 on Marion Assessors' Map 1. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 02/21</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION The Rochester Historic District Commission will hold a public hearing February 27, 2008, 7:00 PM in the Town Hall on the application for a Certificate of Appropriateness to be issued in accordance with the Historic Districts Act, MGL Ch 40C, as amended, and the Rochester Historic District By-law. The applicants, Matthew and Timothy Sperry seeks approval for the construction of a post and beam structure on Dexter Lane, Assessors plan 6 lot 2. Rochester Historic Commission 02/21</p> <hr/>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 5, 2008 at 7:20 PM in the TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE of the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, on a Notice of Intent submitted by BARDEN'S BOAT YARD, INC. to pave two existing gravel boat storage areas, install a second 1,000-gallon double-walled fuel tank, and upgrade the drainage systems in compliance with stormwater best management practices. The project is located at 2 Island Wharf Road and is further identified as Lot 77A on Marion Assessors' Map 14. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 02/21</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION Due to a scheduling conflict, the Marion Conservation Commission's meeting on Wednesday, March 5, 2008 will be held in the TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE of the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, rather than in the conference room. Please use the Spring Street entrances. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 02/21</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER CONSERVATION COMMISSION A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by James and Holly Vogel for Wellspring Farms Foundation, Inc., 42 Hiller Road, Rochester, MA. 02770. The applicant proposes limited dead tree and limb removal within the 100-foot buffer zone to a bordering vegetated wetland. Proposed work is being conducted so that the Wellspring Farm Learning Center can create an outdoor classroom for environmental studies by students with significant disabilities.</p> <p>The subject property is located at Walnut Plain Road in Rochester and is designated as Lot #5E, on Assessors' Map #11. The property owner of record is Eastover Farm Associates Ltd. Partnership. The applicant's representative is Wellspring Farms Foundation, Inc., James Vogel, 42 Hiller Road, Rochester.</p> <p>This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law. Rosemary Smith, Chairman 02/21</p> <hr/> <div data-bbox="1112 1554 1425 1921"> <p>A cartoon illustration by Mark Parisi. It depicts a man in a hat and a woman in a dress standing on a beach. The man is saying "I AM SO NOT THAT FAT!" and the woman is saying "FAT!". The cartoon is signed "by Mark Parisi" and "off the mark".</p> </div>

Look Fantastic at 10% OFF

LASER HAIR
BOTOX COSMETIC
JUVADERM COSMETIC FILLER
PREVAGE MD
MICRODERMABRASION
CHEMICAL PEELS
LIPODISSOLVE
IONTHERMIE

skin MEDSPA

www.myskinmedspa.com

27 CENTRE STREET, NEW BEDFORD SEAPORT **508-993-3196**

Owen, and the varied Duck collection belonging to Virginia Blais next time you stop in at the Rochester Senior Center! Thanks to these two ladies! If you'd like to share your collection with us, please call!

- Friday Take-out Lunches are Back – Tired of eating alone? Why not join the Rochester COA on Fridays at 12:00 noon at the Senior Center for their family style restaurant take-out/eat-in lunch. Cost is \$5 per person. Please sign up in advance so that we are sure enough food is ordered. Why not stay for the movie afterwards. Anyone is welcome to join us, Hope to see you then.

- Are There any Senior Instrument Players in Rochester? The Rochester COA has a volunteer guitar/fiddle player who is interested in "jamming" at the senior



Over 20 years
servicing
the area

ALL YOUR FLOORING NEEDS... *Carpet • Tile • Linoleum Hardwood and More!*

Free estimates • Licensed and insured installers.

405 Huttleston Ave., Rt. 6, Fairhaven
The big blue building on the Mattapoisett/Fairhaven Line

508-758-6170

Mon.-Fri. 8-5 pm Sat. 9-1, Evenings by Appointment
www.canalcarpets.com



Carpal Tunnel Syndrome

Are you experiencing pain, numbness
or weakness in your:

hands
wrists
elbows
shoulders
or neck?

If we can help you, we'll tell
you and if we can't, we'll tell
you that too.

Health professionals
that care

Chiropractic • Physical Therapy • Massage

Barley Family Healthcare
& Rehabilitation

Tel: (508) 997-9100

270 Huttleston Ave. Rte. 6 Fairhaven, MA 02719



design by: elin photography



THE CURIOUS SAVAGE



Reservations are now being accepted for the Marion Art Center's upcoming production of *The Curious Savage*, a comedy by John Patrick, which opens on leap year, February 29 at 8:00 pm and runs March 1, 6, 7 and 8 at 8:00 pm and Sunday, March 2 at 2:00 pm.

The curious title of the play refers to the main character, Mrs. Ethel Savage, a slightly eccentric, extremely wealthy widow (played by Cynthia Latham). It is a warm-hearted tale about this woman, the recipient of her deceased husband's estate, and how she wants to make the best use of the money, despite her greedy stepchildren (played by Katie Hourihan and Dan Tripp), and their selfish attempts to get their hands on it.

Mrs. Savage plans to establish a foundation to help others realize their hopes and dreams, much to the siblings' chagrin. They commit her to a "sanatorium" in the hopes of shocking her to her senses. There she meets a variety of social misfits (played by Kimberly Teves, Michele Kelley, Gary Taylor, Norris Brown and Jackie Scholz), all needing exactly the kind of help Mrs. Savage can provide. These wonderful individuals immediately endear themselves to Mrs. Savage (and to the audience). The institution, known as "The Cloisters," is staffed by an understanding doctor (played by Paul Kandarian) and a sympathetic nurse (played by Nancy Sparklin).

With the help of her newfound friends, Mrs. Savage leads her stepchildren on a merry chase which eventually brings them to the pits of humiliation and despair as Mrs. Savage obtains her freedom. The dominant mood is comedy with plots, plans and hijinx. The audience is left with an uplifting feeling that the neglected virtues of kindness and caring have not been entirely lost in a world that seems motivated at times by greed and dishonesty.

The curious cast is directed by veteran actor and director, Rex McGraw. Dr. McGraw recently retired and moved to Wareham after an outstanding career as actor in over 150 productions and director of over 100 shows. He was professor and chair of Theater Arts at several universities. The Marion Art Center is honored to have his expertise.

Tickets for *The Curious Savage* are \$12.50 for Marion Art Center members and \$15 general admission. Reservations may be made by calling the Art Center at 508-748-1266. Tables are available for parties of four or more and seating is limited.

This photo and more are available online at www.wanderer.com.

Robert Allen: Carpenter/Builder

New Construction, Additions, Garages
Interior and Exterior Renovations and Repairs
Decks Cedar Siding Sky Lights Screen Porches
Tel. 758-4753, lic.044193, 25 Years in the Trade
Custom Carpentry

center with other senior musicians! All musicians are welcome to come and practice on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am. Who knows? We might be able to organize a great senior orchestra! So come down and bring your instrument.

- Extended Hours are Here – (Funded by a grant from the Executive Office of Elder Affairs). The Senior Center is now open Monday and Thursday nights, 6:30 to 8:00 pm.

- Monday Nights – Paul Letourneau is back in Rochester! Join us for our new Square Dancing class! It's a fitness program that does it all at a cost that will fit your budget. Donation of \$4 per class, paid directly to the instructor. The first night is free. Class is 6:30 to 8:30 pm. All levels of expertise are welcome! Comfortable dress, enthusiasm, and willingness to learn are all that are required! Let's extend a warm welcome back to Paul Letourneau. Many of you may remember Paul from his years of teaching at the Rochester Grange! Come to just watch or dance. All ages and anyone welcome!

- Thursday Nights: Join the Rochester COA for two hours of line dancing with instructor Rose Daley, as she leads you in the most current new dance steps. The first hour will be a beginner's class: the second hour will be an intermediate's class. Why not stay for both? The cost for the night is \$ 5, paid to the instructor.

- Large Print Library Books – The Plumb Library has brought a large-print collection of library books at the Senior Center. Anyone who would like to sign out one of these books is welcome to do so. If you want to read a book, please sign it out in the book and sign-in when you return.

- Piano Lessons Anyone? – Rochester resident, Helen Butts would like to give piano lessons to other Rochester residents here at the Senior Center. Helen has



Twice as much to love...Riccardi's is now in Fairhaven too

RICCARDI'S NEW LOCATION
at Rte 6 & Sconticut Neck Rd in Fairhaven
508-996-4100

RICCARDI'S ORIGINAL LOCATION
on Hathaway Road in New Bedford
508-991-4200

For Riccardi's menus for dining in, take-out, buffet catering or party platters,
visit us online at www.riccardis.com

MasterPeace, Inc.

Home Health Care

Est. 1992

(508) 748-3066

Terri Tripp, *President*



Masterpeace Staff

- COMPANIONSHIP
- PERSONAL CARE
- HOMEMAKING
- ALZHEIMER'S CARE
- HOSPICE SUPPORT
- INSURED & LICENSED
- RN & SW ON STAFF
- 24 HOUR ON CALL
- LIAISON BETWEEN
CLIENTS & CAREGIVERS

DAVIS PAINTING

**INTERIOR, EXTERIOR
FINE INTERIOR FINISH
Complete painting service**

FULLY INSURED

**CHARLES DAVIS
(508) 748-3614
(774) 263-0583**

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

One ton Dump Truck
GMC 3500 Sierra, 73K miles, Good condition.
Reliable. (508) 558-0084. \$3200/bo

Own a Summer Home? We have a rental program to rent out your vacation home. Now accepting new property listings for the 2008 season, April 12th -Nov.12th. Over 14 yrs. experience in the Vacation rental business. Donna Battistelli, Realtor 508-542-0044 Walter Murphy Realty propertyisequity@yahoo.com

PARENTING SUPPORT

Call for help with:
discipline/setting limits-temper tantrums
school problems/quarreling/sibling rivalry
complaining/non-cooperation and more.
25 years exp. solving family problems
508-993-5070 800-888-1684
dab1919@comcast.net

Personal Health Care Attendant with good references in local area. 12 years experience.
Call Wendy 508-758-3982 or 508-525-0576

PET SITTING at your home.
We come in and feed, walk, etc.
K & A 508-287-6983 or 617-372-3524

Pre Design-Graphic Designer 10 Years
Logos, Website, Co. Branding, Advertisements,
Packaging....call today - Nicole Johnson
508-525-0353 | pre78@hotmail.com

Qualified home buyer interested in private sale in/near Mattapoisett Village or Matt Neck area. Please no realtors. 508-789-7797 4-9PM

QUALITY PLASTERING

Commercial/Residential - Free Estimates
15 yrs exp - Fully Insured - Jason @ 508-847-8443

RENTAL HOMES

Marion-Rent a house for only \$900/mo! Cozy 1+BR,eat in kitch,livingrm,cable,w/d hookup.Very private yard,bonus storage shed.

Marion-Heat included! 1BR,3rd flr apt in the heart of the village,\$750/mo

Fairhaven-Attention Antique Lovers!The historic 18th century Benjamin Spooner house offers 3+BR,2BA,kitch w/large pantry,LR,DR and lots of built in knooks.Exposed beams and wood floors throughout.March Special! Half price rent \$600/ mo.

Mattapoisett- Live near the beach!Small 3BR ranch,great for one or two people.Screen porch,full cellar with w/d.New Price! \$1075/mo

Rochester-Great home in Sippican Estates.3BR cape,attached 2 car garage w/breezeway,huge deck overlooking green lawn and wooded area,on cul-de-sac.2 gas fireplaces!\$1400/mo

Now Booking Summer Rentals!
RACE REAL ESTATE 508-748-0479
www.racereonline.com

RENTALS

Summer - Winter - Year Round
Seahorse Realty 508-758-4663 www.SeaHorseRE.com

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Retail / Office Rental, 92 North St., high visibility, 1st building off I-195, convient parking, 1950 sf, flexible interior layout. 508-758-9481

Rochester: 1 bdrm Apt For Rent, 2nd floor, Elec and heat included. On horse farm, stall available.
508-763-5618

Rochester 2-3 bdrm/2 ba house for rent w/ sunrm and deck, heat/hot wtr included.
508-207-5993

ROCHESTER For Rent new 2bdrm/2.5ba TownHouse, never lived in, 55+ community,
508-207-5993.

Seeking Live-In/Out
Housekeeping Position
508-264-8081

Single, professional older woman, very neat & clean seeks 1 bedroom apartment with washer & dryer in unit. 508-495-0644

Storage for everyone at
HIGH STREET MINI STORAGE
Sizes 5' x 10' to 10' x 30'
ASK ABOUT OUR FREE MONTH PLAN Call
508-763-8990

SUPREME CLEANING SERVICE

You'll Have the Cleanest House
in Town at Rates YOU Can Afford!
Nancy 508-644-3404

SUPREME PAINTING CO.

Int/Ext. Commercial/Residential - Powerwashing
Over 20 years experience - Fully Insured
508-644-3404

THINK SUMMER!

**Rentals available Crescent Beach,
Pt. Connett and Village
Water Street Realtors**
508-758-9731

TIRED OWL EYES BY MID-DAY? THEN...
make a permanent investment in yourself with permanent make-up at ABOUT FACE.
By appointment only. 508-295-4322.
FREE CONSULT. Gift Certificates Available

Two Men and a Dump Truck available for cleaning out yards, houses, barns, attics. Transfer station runs, etc. RAKING OF LEAVES
Call (508) 992-4021. Insured.

VACATION IN PARADISE IN 2008!!
1 BEDROOM, TWO BATH CONDO FOR RENT IN KIHAI, MAUI
CALL 508-400-1625 OR
WWW.OURMAUICONDO.NET

VINYL

Brushwash and Powerwash
Detail your House or Business 508-997-2892

Wanted to rent. Mooring in Mattapoisett Harbor May to Nov. for 27 ft. Sailboat. Contact Alan Aperson Mattapoisett 508-758-4501

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

WE PAY CASH FOR YOUR OLD COMPUTER!

Got an old desktop or laptop computer collecting dust in the attic? Have you upgraded your system recently? Don't know what to do with the old clunker? We need used parts for our new repair shop recently opened in Mattapoisett.
Call for more information.

HELPTechs

19 County Road (route 6)
Mattapoisett
508-758-6556

WEST PALM BEACH. TOWNHOUSE FOR RENT

2 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, enclosed patio, on a Canal, washer and dryer in Townhouse. 7 tennis courts, Olympic size swimming pool, Basketball court, and 4 Racquetball courts, playground and picnic area. Only 14 minutes to the ocean. Available by the month or weekly intervals (if available) Booking month of March or 1st 2 weeks of March, May thru September. Call 508-997-8644.

Window cleaning by the best. \$8.00 per window (storms FREE) Call 508-617-8103,
cell# 774-888-8025

WINTER RENTAL-CRESCENT BEACH

3 bdrm, 1 bath, sunny, nicely furnished, spacious, w/d, microwave, full kitchen, great location. January-June, no pets/smoking. 781-934-9080

WINTER RENTALS - Matt Two bedrooms furnished and unfurnished. SUMMER RENTALS Call Jan from Cook Realty at 508-763-9270

YARD WORK

Roger E. Ouellette

508-748-2937

Year Round Rental, Marion, Great Location!
4 bdrm., 1 1/2 bth., 2 fireplaces, FR, L/DR,
eat-in kitchen, 1st flr. laundry, mudroom, newer deck, garage, plenty of space! \$1650/month
Southcoast Real Estate Co., 508-748-1379

You Load It We Dump It
YOU SAVE MONEY
6 cu. yd container \$99
For details call 508-748-1391

YOUR HOUSEKEEPER

Residential, Cottage, and Office Cleaning
Bonded and Insured
508-207-6362 or 508-994-2711

"Yourway" Cleaning Service
Dependable and Bonded Great References.
Call Kim Howland 508-758-9242

**Place your classifieds 24
hours a day 7 days a week at:**
www.wanderer.com

POWER WASHING

Cleans all types of siding and shingles
also specializing in siding and shingle replacement
New Roofs and Repairs. Free estimates • Insured
Michael Clancy 508-758-4392

a long history of teaching piano to many over the years. These lessons would be half-hour per person for the beginners level, and will be held on Thursdays from 2:00 to 4:30 pm. Any age is welcome. Please call the Senior Center to reserve your lesson time. The lessons are free but we would appreciate any size donation for the class.

- Computer Lab – The Senior Center online Computer Lab is available for your use anytime.

- Fridays – Eileen Marum will teach an introduction to Microsoft Word course for four Fridays at 10:00 am. Anyone is welcome.

- Billiard Lessons – Every Tuesday, from 2:00 to 4:00 pm, learn the basics of shooting pool with Volunteer instructor Carl Bissonnette, here at the Senior Center. The lessons are free, so come on down and hone your skills! Anyone is welcome.

- Decorative Acrylic Painting Class – Rochester resident, Sue McMullen, is teaching a weekly acrylic painting class on Monday afternoons from 2:00-4:00 at the Senior Center. Cost is \$5 per person per week, payable directly to the instructor. Supplies are being provided by



*Diapers
& Wipes
Caddy
from
J.J. Cole*

The Hay-Loft For Children

The Ropewalk, Route 6,
Mattapoisett
(508) 758-4247



•Collision Specialists •Expert Painting •Auto Rental Services •Glass Replacement •Frame Straightening •Color Matching •Towing

ATTENTION DRIVERS

If you are involved in a collision you have the right to have your investment, your vehicle, repaired at a shop of your choice. Your insurance company may suggest a list of repair shops. Do not be persuaded by this list, it is not a guarantee of quality of services, nor does it limit your options. You want a shop who will work for you and with you to put your vehicle back to pre-accident condition. **COLLISION SERVICES OF MARION, INC.** is a licensed, bonded, registered repair shop with the state of Massachusetts. We work with all insurance companies to expedite your repairs. The important thing to remember is we repair the vehicle for you, our customers, not the insurance companies. So remember, if the need arises, contact **COLLISION SERVICES OF MARION, INC.** to get back on the road.

Collision Services of Marion, Inc.
391A Front St., Marion, MA 02738
Phone: 508-748-1441, Fax 508-748-1320
MA Reg.# 1103

•Collision Specialists •Expert Painting •Auto Rental Services •Glass Replacement •Frame Straightening •Color Matching •Towing

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

J.R. FONTECCHIO CONSTRUCTION Complete residential & commercial improvements & repairs.

Framing to custom finish carpentry, punchlist items to structural changes. Over 30 yrs exp, lic & ins. Please call John 508-997-0663/508-954-8782
fontecchioconstruction@hotmail.com

J&R Removal Services
Basement, Attic, Yard Cleanouts,
Dump Runs, Brush Removal
10% Senior Discount
All Size Loads
Truck Cell # 508-364-4543

K W POWERWASHING & PAINTING INTERIOR-EXTERIOR - REFERENCES

Since 1985
Fully Insured
CALL KEVIN AT (508) 997-2892

KNIVES, PROFESSIONALY SHARPENED AT REASONABLE RATES

Convenient Drop-off & Pick-up.
508-758-3542

Lawn Service
Clean Ups - Dump Trips - Mulch
Heavy brush cutting, chain saw
Jonathan 508-758-3347
Cell 508-287-4824

Local Carpenter with 20 years experience seeks your seasonal project: replacement windows, skylights, storm doors, mantels, finish work, decks, hard wood stairs, gutter guard. Call Paul 508-763-9230

Looking for that Special Present?
Visit the booth "Everyday is a Gift"

Located @ New Bedford Antiques @ the Cove
Sterling & Gold Jewelry
Vintage Costume Jewelry
Antiques & Collectables
127 West Rodney French Blvd
New Bedford, MA 02744
On the Right Just Before You Reach the Beach

LOW DUST TO NO DUST
FLOOR SANDING

Truck mounted vacuum gets the dust.
Wood floors, installed, sanded and finished.
Russell Browne 508-763-4459

Maplelace Cottage
7 Little Bay Road - Fairhaven- 508-984-5308
Country/Primitive Shop, Gifts, Candles, Furniture

Marion Dexter Beach
year round, clean, freshly painted, 1 bedroom cottage. \$800 plus sec & utilities. 508-496-9761

MARTHA L. CROWLEY
REAL ESTATE CO.

and
INTERIOR DESIGN

Certified by RISD

Superb Buyer and Seller **Representation**
Home Staging - **A Necessity** in today's market
Color & Space Instruction & Consultations
Call for FEES and APPOINTMENT
508-992-4744

martha@marthaLcrowley.com

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Massage Therapy by an experienced student of Kria Massage. Relieve those stressed or over-worked muscles and more. Call 508-992-4358 for an appointment. Reasonable Rates.

Marion Village Apartment
16 Cottage St. - Large 1 BR w/study, available immediately. Hardwood floors. Clean. \$975/mo. No smoking, no pets. (508) 965-1870

MATH TUTOR
H.S. math teacher with 30 yrs experience. Get the 1 on 1 help you need to succeed. 508.763.8311

Mattapoisett 1 BR Townhouse Apartment For Rent - 11 Old Marion Rd., two-level end unit - \$900 mo. Available immed.-1st & last. No smoking, no pets (508) 965-1870

Mattapoisett Center-1st floor, 2 bdrm, hardwood floors, laundry room, off street parking. \$1075 inc heat & hot water. No smoking. 508-758-2965

MATTAPOISETT SELF STORAGE
Personal and business storage
CLIMATE CONTROLLED UNITS

508-758-4311

MATTAPOISETT VILLAGE
1st floor, 2 bedrooms, W & D hookup, no pets. \$1,000/mo plus utilities. Call 508-758-6230

Mattapoisett Village - charming 2 bedroom year round house for rent. \$1100. 508-758-9534

Mattapoisett Village: 2 BR
Quiet, 1st floor. No smoking or pets.
\$950.00/month 508-758-9513

Mattapoisett Village Apt. Yr round, 2nd flr, 2 bdrm rental. Off-street parking. \$825/mo. Lease, deposit, no dogs. 508-758-2164.

Mattapoisett Village Year Round Rental. Ground floor small efficiency apartment. Water views, yard. Walk everywhere. \$665 per month including heat. No pets, no smoking. Available April 1. 508-758-8974

Matt-yr rnd rental-2BR, 1BA house, hwd flrs, gar, washer/dryer. Near village & highway. \$1100 plus utilities. 1st, last, sec. No smokers. 508-758-3630

MIKE'S APPLIANCE - Sales and Service - Experienced with all brands. Also available evenings, weekends and holidays.
Call Mike Healy at (508) 748-2557

Mooring rental, Mattapoisett harbor, off the east side of long warf, will hold 30' boat.
Call 508-758-9481

Moving? Two men and clean enclosed truck for hire. Licensed and insured local and long distance moving. \$85./hr. D.P.U. #29374.
(508)992-4021 or cell 508-525-0248

Office space available in Marion Village. From 150 sq.ft. to 3000 sq.ft. with harbor view. Central air, heat and electric included. Spaces can be divided. Call 508-858-9014 for additional information and a walk through.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Need a Plumber?

Reasonable. Reliable.
MA license # 25805 Joe 508.998.7019

Now accepting **RENTAL TURNOVERS** for summer weekly rentals. **Complete program** with cleaning fee- wash/dry/fold for linens, inventory check, key distribution, damage checks, etc. Other services available - turn on cable, water, repairs, basic maintenance, window washing, carpet shampooing.. We can only accept a limited amount of rentals for turnovers. Reserve your dates now. **EXECU-MAID INC** since 1982.
508-758-9027

Old Man Winter drags his feet
And badgers us with snow and sleet!
But the ascendant angle of the sun
Foretells his race is nearly run.
EASTERN SAILS & Canvas
508-758-3741
WWW.EASTERN SAILS.COM

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT
MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENCY UNION 55

Marion-Mattapoisett-Rochester
SUBSTITUTES CAFETERIA
The ORR School District is looking for cafeteria substitutes for all schools in the School District.
Please send letter of interest to:
S. Souza-Food Service Director
ORR School District
135 Marion Road
Mattapoisett, MA 02739
E.O.E.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

		9		1	7	4	
	5		2				9
7					3		8
	7	3		6		5	
		1			2		8
4			8				9
		8			4		5 6
6			9			3	
	2			5			1

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

© 2008 King Features Synd., Inc.



Flowers are the perfect gift.

Sowle the Florist inc.

508-758-6161 • 1-800-258-7866 www.sowletheflorist.com

the instructor and are included in the price of the class. Just bring your brushes.

- **Calling All Friends** – It's not too late to turn in your annual dues to renew your membership to the Friends of the Rochester Senior Center. All potential new Friends are also welcome. Dues are \$3. The Friends funds are given to the Senior Center to assist with various projects, supplies and operating expenses.

- **Monday Soup and Sandwich** - Every Monday at 12:00 you are welcome to join us for the weekly soup and sandwich lunch at the Senior Center. As the cold weather descends upon us, a hot bowl of soup is most welcome at any time. To ward off your chills, a delicious hot lunch will be available for your enjoyment. No specific cost for the program, donations are welcome. Please call for a reservation so we can plan accordingly. We hope to see you. Recipes and soup suggestions are welcome!

- **Blood Pressure Checks**, Courtesy of the South-coast Home Care, are available on the third Thursday of each month from 10:30 am to 12:00 noon. All seniors are welcome to stop in to get their blood pressure checked.

cosmetics * fragrance * skin care * makeup artist services
holiday gifts for men & women * giftcertificates

BLUSH
beauty bar

**Check Out Our New
Men's Line!**

29 Centre Street, New Bedford Seaport
508.991.2272 * www.blushbb.com

Our New Selection of Hand Woven

Wool Oriental Rugs

Have arrived from the 2008 International Rug Show!

*Stop in and see our new collection
of unique, one of a kind, hand knotted
vegetable dyed rugs.*

*Stop in and see why our
customers look forward to
this time of year!*

Sizes range from 2' x 3' to full room size 9' x 12'



SURROUNDINGS
Interior Design

Visit us at www.surroundings-rogersgallery.com



Open Mon.- Sat. 9:30-5 (508) 758 - 9933 Route 6 Mattapoisett

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Edgewood Massage Therapy
 Massage for stress reduction, muscle and joint pain
 Certified Pre-Natal Massage
 www.edgewoodmassagetherapy.com
 By Appointment Only
 508-344-6628

EXECU-MAID, INC One Call Does it All!
 Now accepting new weekly & biweekly clients.
 Personalized service tailored to **your needs**, not
 a generic checklist. Pay only for what **you** want
 done. Monthly billing for businesses, credit cards
 accepted.

Bonded, Insured, Drug-screened maids. Also rugs,
 upholstery, windows, heavy cleaning **508-758-9027**

Experienced Nanny: 7 years with 2 families in the
 area. Great Ref. Very good with infants and up.
 One day open, Tues or Thurs. Some evenings and
 weekends. Call Linda 508-992-4358

Fairhaven House on Water, fully furnished
 March 1 thru end May. 508-997-7867

Fairhaven-2 bedroom, 2nd flr apt. Near hwy,
 gas, elec & laundry facility included. \$950/mo.
 508-954-5277

FIREWOOD, seasoned, burnable wood, oak &
 maple. \$235/cord. 508-748-1505

For Rent Crescent Beach Walk to Beach
 3 bedrooms, no smoking, no pets.
 Call 508-543-7637

For RENT Studio Apartment on North St in Mat-
 tapoisett. Possibility to work off some rent working
 with horses and/or landscaping. 508-294-2790 cell
 or mbcalador@aol.com

For Sale 1985 Starcraft camper trailer. Sleeps 4,
 heat, a/c, fridge, stove, toilet & shower. Moving,
 have to sell. \$1300/obo. 508-667-9622

For Sale: Ethan Allen Sofa, excellent condition
 \$375; Love seat \$250; Wing chair \$200;
 Queen Anne Cherry TV Cabinet \$175.
 508-758-4743

Get In Shape: I have lots of Free Wgts, 150lbs
 Marcy wgt system. Really nice & misc items. Call
 Tom 508-997-2019 for details

Gorgeous horse to HALF LEASE on farm starting
 March. Beautiful, talented, 15.3 hand chestnut
 gelding. trails, does beginning dressage, also great
 with ring work, wonderful ground manners. You
 would have access to ring and trails. Will consider
 ONLY good intermediate or above rider as he is
 sensitive and deserves light hands. (no beginners
 or rough riders) Prefers women. Half lease on farm
 \$250 month
 1-774-271-0433

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE 1999 GMC 1500 SIERRA SL LONG-
 BED PICKUP. MUST SEE!!
 36,000 mi., red, 4.3 ltr, AC, reg cab, bed liner.
 \$7,500 or consider car trade same value
 call 508-758-9404

Great Fairhaven Harbor-side Apartment
 New hw floors, 3 br, 2baths, all modern appliance
 including w/d. Block to harbor, center, bike trail.
 \$1200 first, last. 508-728-0178

Guida's Cleaning
 Portuguese Style, Home and Office
 508-287-7947, 774-202-5510

GUITAR AND BASS LESSONS
 20 Years Teaching Experience
 Rick Hiller 508-993-3104

HARRY BENSON - HOME REPAIRS Interior &
 Exterior Painting,
 Power Washing, Carpentry.
 Reasonable Rates. (508) 758-9839

HELP WANTED
 Medical reception & billing. 20-30 hrs/week
 Good personality & phone skills a must.
 Call John 508-748-3224

**HIGH QUALITY GAS and
 OIL FIRED BOILERS**
 In-Direct H.W. Heaters, Peerless,
 Burnham, and Crown Boilers.
 "Great Low Discount Prices" Come visit us at:
 www.majorboilers.com

HOME IMPROVEMENTS, vinyl siding, lead
 paint removal, etc. Licensed & Insured.
 Call Tom 508-991-0361

HEMOCARE
DESIGN & PROPERTY MANAGEMENT
 Providing professional remodeling and general
 contracting services to the tri-town area for 23
 years

CRAIG M MECHLER
 508-758-2986
 homecaredpm@verizon.net
 Still scheduling winter interior painting projects!

I BUY TOOLS
 Retiree buys machinist, automotive & woodwork-
 ing tools to fix & resell to keep busy.
 Call Rusty 781-789-0672

JAMES OIEN - ELECTRICIAN
 Service changes, generator hookup, lighting, out-
 lets, tv cable, telephone, heating & ac wiring, etc.
NO JOB TOO SMALL!!!
 508-748-0718 / 508-863-3067
 License #31447E and fully Insured

K & A Clean Right
 "We do it all and we do it right"
 Home or Business 508-287-6983 or 617-372-3524

The Wanderer Subscription Form

First Class Mail

- ☐ One Year \$54
☐ 6 Months \$27

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Starting Date:

- ☐ Immediately ☐ Renewal

Return completed form to:

The Wanderer
 P.O. Box 102
 55 County Road
 Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Order on line at:
 www.wanderer.com

Sudoku Answer

2	8	9	5	1	7	4	6	3
3	5	6	2	4	8	7	1	9
7	1	4	6	9	3	2	8	5
8	7	3	1	6	9	5	2	4
5	9	1	4	7	2	6	3	8
4	6	2	8	3	5	1	9	7
1	3	8	7	2	4	9	5	6
6	4	5	9	8	1	3	7	2
9	2	7	3	5	6	8	4	1

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

A	R	T	E	B	A	R	T	H	A	R	E	M	C	O	M	E	T
L	O	I	S	A	D	A	Y	O	H	A	R	A	A	W	A	R	E
D	O	N	T	T	H	I	N	K	P	A	N	I	C	B	E	N	I
A	T	S	E	A	P	I	E	T	N	A	B	I	C	E			
				E	L	M	O	S	K	E	W	B	O	R	S	C	H
				O	F	M	E	A	S	S	U	P	E	R	I	O	R
T	K	O		R	E	I	N		P	I	N	C	E	M	E	A	D
A	R	A	B	L	E		D	I	A	L	E	C	T	J	O	P	L
C	A	L	L	A		E	T	R	E		H	O	M	E	R	L	E
				A	M	P	S		E	E	R	P	E	N	S	A	G
				S	I	M	P	L	Y	A	S	A		F	R	I	E
A	C	N	E		A	L	P		S	U	E		T	A	R	A	
L	I	T		B	Y	L	A		T	E	E	N		I	M	A	G
F	O	R	B	E	S		T	E	B	A	L	D	I	E	P	I	L
			N	O	R	A		W	H	E	A	T		I	M	P	S
							A	L	W	A	Y	S		J	U	S	T
S	P	O	N	S	O	R		T	A	S	K		R	Y	A	N	
P	U	P				E	W	E			Y	O	G	A		I	R
A	C	T	O	R		I	V	O	R	Y		T	O	B	E	R	I
S	C	E	N	E		C	E	L	I	A		T	A	L	K		C
M	I	D	A	S		K	N	A	C	K		O	L	E	G		H


NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS

For Mattapoisett
 Weekdays 9-12

758-4110

Evenings, Holidays and Weekends
 508-758-2140





SUSAN M.
CAMACHO
D.M.D., M.S.

GENERAL, COSMETIC & LASER DENTISTRY

Dental Cleaning	Implants	Teeth Whitening
Tooth Color Fillings	Veneers	Tooth Prints
Crowns	Dentures	Oral Cancer Screening
Bridges	Partials	Waterlase Laser Dentistry

118 Alden Road | Fairhaven, MA 02719 | (508) 994.2255

- **TOPS Program** – Our TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Chapter has started and continues to meet every Monday afternoon from 1:30 to 2:00 pm. This is a national, not for profit weight loss support group, which is 59 years old. Our weekly chapter group is basically peer support. Members are weighed in weekly, and information is shared weekly with attending members on experiences, healthy recipes choices, and other nutritional tidbits. Membership in the TOPS chapter is \$ 24 per year, and that is the entire cost of the program. Please join us anytime. All ages and genders are welcome!

- **Tri-Town Friendly Visitor Program** – The Tri-Town Friendly Visitor Program is looking “to Grow some New Friends” this Spring and Summer. This cost-free program has trained volunteers waiting to be matched up with home-bound seniors in area towns. Kindly call if you have a loved-one who would benefit from a weekly visit, Together “We Can Make This Grow.” Call Beverly at the Rochester COA 508-763-8723 on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday from 8:30 am to 12:00 noon.

- **“Moving With the Oldies”** - Jump start your morning with the toe-tapping rhythm of the “Oldies”! This upbeat exercise class offers a low impact ,moderate-level cardio workout followed by a dose of muscle toning and stretching. Wednesdays and Fridays mornings from 10:00 to 11:00. Suggested donation \$4 per class.

- **“Stepping and Stretching” Exercise Program** meets every Tuesday and Thursday, 1:00 to 2:00 pm. Join

Add living space to your home

FINISHED BASEMENTS



“SAVE UP TO \$2,000.00”
OR 10% WHICHEVER IS GREATER
ON FINISHED BASEMENTS
(SOME RESTRICTIONS APPLY)

508-291-4907
Innovation Const.Co.
cell: 508-789-8323

Call Keith
“Celebrating our 28th
year of Success”

Offer ends without notice

SIMPLY fab
CHIC BOUTIQUE

WINTER SALE CONTINUES!!

SPRING IS JUST AROUND
THE CORNER....


STOP IN AND CHECK OUT OUR
NEW SPRING FASHIONS
ARRIVING DAILY!!

(WE WILL BE CLOSED SCHOOL VACATION WEEK)



67 County Rd., Mattapoisett, MA 02739
508-758-7998 * Winter hours Tues-Sat 10am -5pm

PROFESSIONAL TREE SERVICE



A Division of
Professional
Landscape Construction

- Aerial Bucket Truck
- Tree Climber
- Land Clearing
- Backyard Expansion
- Cabling
- Pruning

Call The Professionals
Lawrence L. Gonet, Owner

RESIDENTIAL & COMMERCIAL

508-763-4143 • Cell: 508-889-8338



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

BERMUDA Cottage Rental- St George's Club
May 3-10th 2008. 2BR, 2 Bath \$1400.
203-272-7535

BETTE-BELLE'S HOMEMADE CAKES

Hand Decorated Happy Birthday Cakes: Real chocolate cake with chocolate frosting; Carrot cake (fresh carrots, walnuts, cherries & coconut) with Cream Cheese frosting; Pure vanilla cake with lemon, blueberry, chocolate or raspberry buttercream frosting. Cakes are double-layered, 8" round, serves 12. \$35.00 each. Specializing in childrens "Character Cakes". Ask for price. Contact me at Ebelleboo2@verizon.net or 508-998-1405

BOB'S LAWN SERVICE

SPRING YARD CLEANUPS
Bobcat/Backhoe Service/Mowing
Cell 774-263-4002, 508-997-9259

CALL NOW to List Your Rentals.
We have customers waiting. Seahorse Realty
508-758-4663 www.SeaHorseRE.com

CASH PAID & FREE REMOVAL
of your Junk or unwanted Car or Truck
Prompt Courteous Service
508-763-8323 or 508-441-0705

**CIRCLE OF FRIENDS
EARLY LEARNING CENTER**
275 New Bedford Road, Rochester
Toddler/Preschool/School Age
Now enrolling for summer and fall
MS ED 508-763-5797 Lic. 2074798

CLEAN UP and DUMP RUN or
will leave truck for you to fill.
508-542-2076

CLEANING from ceiling to floors
Weekly or One time. Call the Fussys Maids
508-542-5380 or 508-971-5615

Commercial Space For Lease
2000-4000 sq.ft. of 1st floor prime space located at the entrance to New Bedford's Whaling National Park. Across the street from the Standard Times and in the heart of the Historic District. Great space for lawyers, accountant, financial planner, retail etc. Please email inquires to integrity5@verizon.net.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

CUSTOMIZED COMPUTER TUTORING
available for Word, Excel, PowerPoint,
Outlook and Internet (Southcoast Area)
In your Home or Office! Evenings Available
Call Technical Tutoring at 508-889-9112

DOCUMENTS BY DESIGN

Mass Mailings • Newsletters
Brochures • Resumes

For All Your Typing Needs
508-992-3637 • documentdesign@verizon.net

DOG BOARDING Quality care! Home away from home. Plenty of exercise and attention. Person on premises 24 hrs. Owner has 25 plus years experience in care, boarding, medical needs etc. References available. MATTAPOISETTSTABLES.COM

DON'S HOME IMPROVEMENT

Quality Work-Fully Insured
(508) 763-5909

DRYWALL: hanging - taping - skim coat.
Small jobs welcome. Very reasonable.
Call Dave 508-717-4694

DT SHEA Property Enhancement offers
Roofing & Siding (all types); Window Replacement; Decks; Hazardous Tree Removal; Pruning (all types) Landscape Construction; Transplanting; Grading; Retaining Walls, etc....
508-748-1505 Dan

Dyer 29 1995 170 Yanmar Diesel with Low Hours. Recent Flag Blue Awlgrip. Very clean boat -\$125,000. 617 823-1708

EAST COAST COMPUTER SPECIALIST Now taking New Clients

Complete Computer Services - On-Site Service
- Internet Security - Virus & Spyware Removal
- Networking - Training & Support - Hardware/Software Upgrades - Data Recovery - Affordable Pricing -

Commercial & Residential Services
Michael Charette Mattapoisett 508-758-2338

FED UP WITH HAM &EGG CARPENTRY?

For good old fashioned quality at reasonable prices, call the "Old Master Craftsman,"
R. Scott Armbruster. 508-758-2891

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

Classified Policy: All Classified Advertisements must be prepaid and can be placed at our office or on line at www.wanderer.com.

Classified Deadline: Tuesday at 10:00 am for Thursday's paper.

Classified Rates:

Classified Advertisements are \$5.00 for 3 lines or less per week. Each additional line is \$1.00 per week. There are an average of six words per line.

Classified Guidelines:

*As a general rule there are approximately six words per line in a standard classified ad.

*Blank Lines cannot be used in Classified Advertisements.

*There is only upper case and lower case lettering.

*No Graphics may be used in Classified Ads.

Mailing Classified Ads: Ads can be mailed with payment to P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Dropping Off Classified

Advertisements: Ads can be dropped by our office at 55 County Road in Mattapoisett, Monday, Thurs, Fri -9am to 3pm; Tuesday 9am to noon

Legal Advertisements:

* Legal Ads are \$1.00 per line, at a minimum of \$20. per ad.

Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



Psychic Readings By Kate

508-264-3768

Call today for a private reading or plan a party and
get yours FREE! Gift Certificates Available.

us for a great afternoon workout to improve your balance and tone your muscles. Use of music, weights, and props at various times. Donations Welcome. Sponsored in part by a grant from Coastline Elderly Services, Inc.

- Sign up now for our monthly SERVE Program. Packages of food for an affordable price are available, such as meat only package for \$14: the Family Meal package for \$22.

It is open to all persons regardless of age, race or income level, and only requires that participants complete two hours of volunteer service per month in their community to qualify. Great food at a great price.

- Public Copy Machine – The public copy machine is set up for your use in the Senior Center lobby, and just in time for tax season, too. So feel free to copy your important documents, recipes, or whatever! We do have a donation can by the copier to help defray the cost of supplies. Suggested donation is 10 cents a page. Thank you!

- Billiards – The pool table is set up and ready for use. Drop-in sometime to take a crack at those billiard balls! Anyone welcome.

- We're always looking for new volunteers. If you have a talent or some time you'd like to share, please call us! We would love some instructors, program leaders, and also someone who is willing to keep our website regularly updated, with senior center photos posted and processed on-line. If interested, please call Sharon at 508-763-8723.

Mattapoisett Pasta Dinner

The Mattapoisett Lions Club will be hosting a Pasta Dinner to benefit the Showstoppers on Saturday, March 1 at 5:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Route 6 in Mattapoisett. Tickets are only \$8 (\$4 for chil-

New Burt's Bees Products are In!



Hours: Tues.-Sat. 9-5:30, Sun. 11-4, Closed Mon.

5 Elm Street, Wareham (508) 291-7871

Across from Historic Tremont Nail

www.oldcompanystore.com

Winter Sale 30-50% OFF

Serendipity by the Sea



Fun, Funky, Original

as well as Classic Gifts!

160 Front Street, Marion Village • 508-748-1800

Mon.-Sat. 10:00-5:00

Prana - Yoga Wear • Maruca • Unique Jewelry • Mariposa • Vietri

Prana - Yoga Wear • Maruca • Unique Jewelry • Mariposa • Vietri

Great dental care should start at an early age...

but should not end there!



Louis P. Kenyon D.M.D., P.C.

Dentistry for the Adult Patient

28 Fairhaven Road (Rte. 6)

Mattapoisett, MA 02739

(508) 758-4818

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

\$150 - \$350
Junk Cars & Trucks Removed
508-400-5551

1998 Buick Park Avenue
95,000 miles, good condition
\$3900 or best offer. 508-763-8344

1998 V6 Chrylr Conv. JX1, cranbry, leather interior,
100,000 plus miles, excellent con. new tires, orig
owner, \$5575 - 508.758.1312

2006 Volvo S60 2.5T AWD, Leather, Loaded, 18K
miles, Factory Warranty, Excellent Cond, Asking
\$26.5K 508-863-0967

22' Alberg Sea Sprite
1980 hull #545, recently Awl gripped, roller furl-
ing, deep shaft 6 hp Yamaha 5 hrs, new cockpit
cushions
\$5,000 or b/o 508-397-4133

3 BEDRM. HOUSE FOR RENT IN ROCHESTER
COUNTRY SETTING, \$1200/MO. + UTILITIES.
508-763-4936

'95 PORSCHE CARRERA CABRIOLET
CONVERTIBLE FOR SALE
508-207-5993

A BETTER DEAL
on a postal box
WHERE ? ? MAILBOX SERVICES
82 County Road Mattapoisett
WHY ??
24 HR. ACCESS
7 DAYS A WEEK
UPS & FED EX SERVICE
VACATION FORWARDING

A Great Retirement Job!
Custodial/Light Maintenance
Event Preparation
Part time - up to 20 hours per week
Flexible Schedule Between 9am-1pm
Call 508-748-1053 for Appointment
First Congregational Church of Marion
144 Front Street, Marion, MA

All Types of Alterations
Men's - Ladies - Children
IT'S SEW EASY
Tailoring by Mario & Lucy Luzza
62 Marion Rd., Mattapoisett
(508) 758-8983

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

A FAMILY AFFAIR
Lawns - Gardens - Yard Care
508-758-6438

ALL-PHASE HOME IMPROVEMENT
"We Do It All Just Give Us A Call"
additions-remodeling, frame to finish
and much more...

Licensed..... Lionel GarciaInsured
508-989-7038 508-386-3151

APARTMENT FOR RENT: Mattapoisett, 3BR,
2nd floor, appliances, off street parking. \$1100/mo,
first, last & security. Call 508-294-1781

APARTMENT FOR RENT, 4 rooms, 1 bedrm,
very roomy, clean & private. Off street parking, no
pets. \$750/mo & dep.
Call Tom 508-997-2019

APPLIANCE REPAIR
Washers, Dryers, Stoves & More
508-954-5277

Are you ill or know someone who is? Please call
me. I have **very important information** to share
with you. 508-295-0665 or 508-728-7507

Art Lessons: Fox Run Studio offers Private
Instruction in all mediums. Children and adults,
coastal watercolors, commissions accepted.
508-758-9240

BABYSITTER/NANNY Full/Part time, 22 yr,
old college grad with Bachelors in Elementary and
Special Ed, CPR and First Aid cert. 10 yrs experi-
ence working with children of all ages.
Ref's avail. Please call Lindsay 774-218-4448

Beachfront Rental at Crescent Beach. Jun-\$725/
wk.
Jul & Aug - \$950/wk. Slps 5. No pets or smoking.
508-758-3125 or tmarges@yahoo.com

**Beautiful 3 Bed/2 Bath Home For Sale in Dart-
mouth, MA, Move In Condition!**
Large Yard, New Kitchen w/Granite, 2 Car Garage,
Vinyl Siding, Hardwood Floors & More...
Only \$264,000 (508) 446-1800
Serious Prequalified Buyers Only Please!

Beautiful views from this 3 bedroom waterfront
home on Crescent Beach, Mattapoisett. Weeks
avail in June, Sept & Oct. Call 781-878-7620

The Wanderer

The Wanderer is an independently
owned and published weekly
newspaper that is distributed to the
public free of charge throughout
Mattapoisett, Marion, Rochester and
the surrounding communities.

Mailing Address:

The Wanderer
P.O. Box 102
Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Office:

55 County Road (Route 6)
Mattapoisett

Telephone: (508) 758-9055

FAX: (508) 758-4845

Web Page: www.wanderer.com

E-mail:

General/Advertising:
office@wanderer.com

News: news@wanderer.com

Deadlines:

(Display Ads) Friday at 3pm
(All Others) Tuesday at 10am

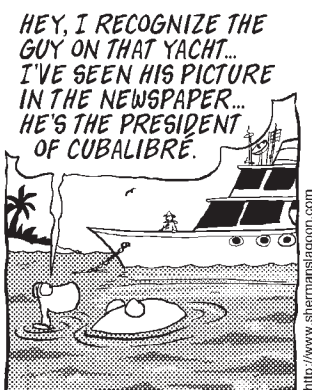
Office Hours:

Mon., Thur. & Fri. 9am-3pm
Tues. 9am - 12 noon

Staff:

Paul R. Lopes, Editor
Kenneth J. Souza, News Editor
Mary Redman,
Advertising Representative
Denise Mello,
Advertising Representative
Patricia Aleks, Office Manager
Robert Chiarito, Correspondent
© 2008 Wanderer Com, Inc.
All rights reserved, no part of this publication
may be reproduced without permission.
ISSN 1559-1212

SHERMAN'S LAGOON
by J.P. Toomey



REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

©2008 The Warren Group, reprinted with permission

Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
Denormandie, Philip Y	Dennis Mahoney&Sons	Island St	Mattapoisett	02/04/2008	600000

dren ages 2-12) not to exceed \$20 per immediate family. Bring your family to enjoy a great pasta dinner with entertainment provided by the Showstoppers. Tickets may be obtained by calling Steve at 508-758-9268; Helene at 508-758-9841; or Kelly at 508-758-4525. A very limited number of tickets will be sold at the door, so please call in advance.

Fairhaven Improvement Association

The Historical Series sponsored by the Fairhaven Improvement Association will begin its second season on Wednesday, March 5 at 6:30 pm in the Fairhaven Town Hall auditorium. A video titled *Henry Huttleston Rogers –Fairhaven Town Benefactor –An Architectural Tour* will be presented.

It was filmed by former town resident Alan Hemenway as a gift to his home town. The video features tours of buildings designed by Charles Brigham including Fairhaven High School, Unitarian Memorial Church, Millicent Library, Town Hall, Taber Lodge, Tabitha Inn and other buildings.

The public is invited to attend. Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

Mattapoisett Beach and Wharf

Shellfish Permits and Beach/Wharf Stickers for 2008 are now available for purchase at the Mattapoisett Treasurer/Collector's Office, Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. Residents can now apply for these items by completing a mail order form and mailing the completed form, proof required and payment to the Treasurer/Collector's Office. Links to the two different downloadable mail order forms — one for Mattapoisett residents and one for non-residents — can be found on the homepage of the town's website, www.mattapoisett.net.

The fee for Beach/Wharf stickers, which are available for Mattapoisett residents and property owners only,

is \$10. For Mattapoisett residents and property owners and Marion and Rochester residents, the fee for shellfish permits is \$25. For other non-residents, the fee is \$125. Mattapoisett, Marion and Rochester residents over 65 are entitled to a free Shellfish permit, valid for the lifetime of the permit holder; and they are also entitled to a free Beach/Wharf Sticker, which must be obtained each year.

Mattapoisett YMCA Event

Frigid Friend-Zee

The Mattapoisett YMCA is hosting its Third Annual "Frigid Friend Zee" on Saturday, March 1 at 8:00 am on the beach at 38 Reservation Road, Mattapoisett. Get ready to take the plunge? The first 20 adults and the first 10 children to register with a minimum of \$25 in sponsors will receive complimentary long sleeve tee shirts. Have your friends and family support your efforts by making a donation to see if you will really dare to dive. A complimentary pancake breakfast will be served. Prizes will be awarded for the following categories: youngest and oldest participants and Craziest Costume. Lots of fun for everyone! All proceeds benefit the Mattapoisett YMCA youth programs. Please call 508-758-4203 to receive a sponsor packet or for more information log on to their website at www.ymcasouthcoast.org.

Vacation Camp

How will you know that your child will be well supervised and have a great time while school's out? Bring them to the Mattapoisett YMCA, where they build strong kids, strong families, strong communities. The YMCA staff is committed to the challenge of teaching positive values. Please call 508-758-4203 for more information. Activities include Ice Skating, Toby Time (Science and Stories telling with Toby Dills), Swimming, Rock Climbing, and fun-filled Theme Days at the Y. Pre-registration is required. Log on to their website at www.ymcasouthcoast.org.

Healing Waters

"a community of creative and healing arts professionals, and those seeking services, knowledge and growth"

Services

~Energy Balancing/
Polarity Therapy
~Massage
~Homeopathy
~and More

Welcoming to our service
provider community...

Janice Gagnen-Warr

Holistic Nurse/RN • Polarity Therapist
Call 508-308-4356 to schedule
appointment

Education

~Energetic Healing
~Homeopathy
~Creative Arts & More
~Let's Talk About
"Wellness" (Drop in Donations)

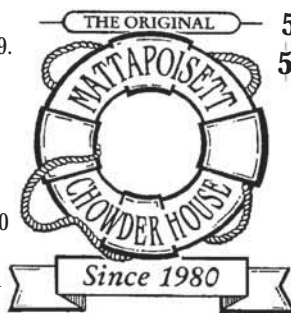
48 Main St. Fairhaven, MA 02719 • 508.999.0504 • <http://mysite.verizon.net/resyupj2/healingwaters>

Restaurant:

Mon.-Thurs. 12-9.
 Fri. 11-10
 Sat. 12-10
 Sun. 12-9
 Closed Tuesday

Tavern:

Mon.-Thur. 12-10
 Fri. 11-11
 Sat. & Sun. 12-11
 Closed Tuesday

**508-758-2333****508-758-4782**

79 Fairhaven
 Road,
 Route 6,
 Mattapoisset
 Function
 Room

DAILY LUNCH SPECIALS -**Monday**

BBQ Burger w/ Mozz./Jack Chz. Blend & Bacon w/ BBQ Sauce
 Teriyaki Chix Pizza
 Grilled Lemon Pepper Swordfish
 Chix Broccoli Pesto Alfredo over Linguine

Wednesday

Mussels Marinara
 Tuna Salad Melt
 Jumbo Shrimp Tempura w/ S&S Sauce
 Margarita Pizza

Thursday

Grilled Garlic Pepper Pork Chop
 Scallop & Bacon Pizza
 Pan Seared Dijon Scallops Over Spinach Salad

**Live Entertainment - First Thursday Night of
 the Month with Chris Richards**

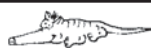
Local Tides

Date	Day	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
February 21:	Thurs.	7:57	8:16	1:14	1:50
February 22:	Fri.	8:39	8:58	1:56	2:17
February 23:	Sat.	9:19	9:39	2:34	2:46
February 24:	Sun.	9:59	10:19	3:12	3:17
February 25:	Mon.	10:38	11:00	3:49	3:51
February 26:	Tues.	11:18	11:41	4:27	4:25
February 27:	Wed.	11:58	...	5:08	5:05
February 28:	Thurs.	12:24	12:42	5:59	5:54
February 29:	Fri.	1:12	1:34	7:10	6:57
March 1:	Sat.	2:09	2:36	8:46	8:18
March 2:	Sun.	3:19	3:45	9:55	9:33
March 3:	Mon.	4:25	4:47	10:45	10:31
March 4:	Tues.	5:18	5:37	11:27	11:22
March 5:	Wed.	6:03	6:20	...	12:04
March 6:	Thurs.	6:45	7:02	12:09	12:41
March 7:	Fri.	7:27	7:44	12:54	1:16
March 8:	Sat.	8:11	8:28	1:39	1:52
March 9:	Sun.	9:55	10:13	3:22	10:20

**Phases
of the
Moon**

Full Moon
Last Quarter
New Moon
First Quarter

February 21st
 February 29th
 March 7th
 March 14th

**I found the Aardvark!**

Each week we will give away an Aardvark Gift and each month we give away a special Aardvark Gift Basket to one lucky person. All you have to do to enter is find the Aardvark! The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

The winner will be selected from all the correct answers picked by the deadline and the prize will have to be picked up at our office. Only one entry per household per issue please.

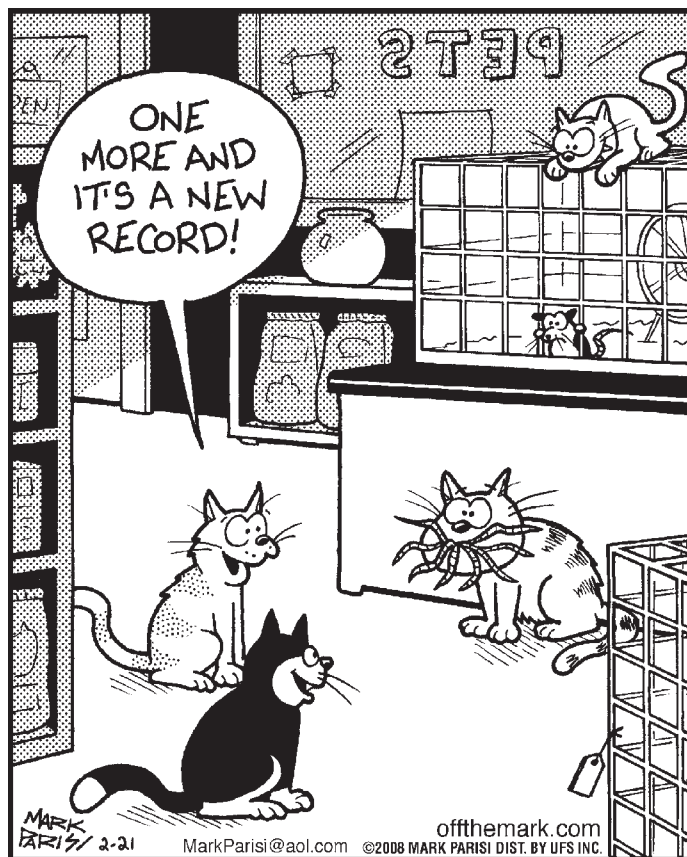
To enter, simply find the aardvark in this issue, then go to our web page and select the link "I Found the Aardvark" entry page. If you would like to enter by mail, send your name, address and phone number along with the issue date and page number you found him in to: Wanderer - I Found the Aardvark, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisset, MA 02739.

Winner, past location and prizes listed on our website at: www.wanderer.com Click on "I Found the Aardvark"

In the February 14 issue the Aardvark was on page 36!

off the mark

by Mark Parisi



(508) 997-0423
TRUCKS

SUVs
20 in Stock!



Auto Sales
ROUTE 6, FAIRHAVEN

(508) 997-0573
CARS

100 Vehicles
in Stock!

CARS

04 CHEVY IMPALA

V6, loaded, CD, 36K

Only \$9,995

01 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM

V6, loaded, CD, 31K

Only \$7,995

04 NISSAN MAXIMA SE

V6, leather, CD, 54,000 miles

Only \$16,995

01 NISSAN MAXIMA SE

V6, loaded, power roof

Only \$6,995

05 FORD TAURUS

V6, loaded, CD, 48,000 miles

Only \$8,995

01 VW JETTA GL

Auto, air, clean, 83,000 miles

Only \$7,995

05 MITSUBISHI GALANT ES

Auto, loaded, 45K

Only \$9,995

05 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN SE

V6, 2 sliders, 48,000 miles

Only \$8,995

06 CHRYSLER 300 TOURING

V6, loaded, power roof, 39,000 miles

Only \$14,995

05 CHRYSLER 300 TOURING

V6, leather, power roof, 28,000 miles

Only \$15,995

00 VW BEETLE GLS TURBO

5 speed, leather, power roof

Only \$5,995

93 VOLVO 940 WAGON

Auto, loaded, leather

Only \$2,995

05 FORD FOCUS ZX3

5 Speed, loaded, 19,000 miles

Only \$7,995

SUVs

04 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO 4X4

Special edition, leather, power roof, 26K

Only \$15,995

98 MITSUBISHI MONTEIRO LIMITED 4X4

V6, leather, power roof, 3rd seat, 70,000 miles

Only \$7,995

02 GMC YUKON SLT 4X4

Leather, power roof, 3rd seat

Only \$11,995

03 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LIMITED 4X4

V8 auto, leather, power roof

Only \$11,995

02 FORD EXPLORER XLT 4X4

V6, loaded, 3rd seat

Only \$7,995

00 CHEVY S10 BLAZER LS 4X4

V6 auto, loaded, 70K

Only \$6,995

03 FORD EXPLORER XLT 4X4

V6, loaded, 3rd seat

Only \$9,995

TRUCKS

01 TOYOTA TACOMA SR5 4X4

5 speed, air, new tires

Only \$9,995

00 FORD RANGER XLT

V6 auto, air, 52,000 miles

Only \$5,995

99 FORD F350 SUPERDUTY CREWCAB XLT 4X4

DIESEL, plow, mint

Only \$17,995

01 FORD F150 SUPERCREW XLT 4X4

V8 auto, loaded, 60K

Only \$12,995

04 FORD F150 SUPERCREW XLT 4X4

V8 auto, loaded, 79K

Only \$15,995

00 GMC 3500 DUALY DUMP 4X4

DIESEL, 5 speed, air, 50,000 miles

Only \$9,995

02 FORD F150 SUPERCAB XLT 4X4

4 door, v8 auto, loaded

Only \$10,995

00 FORD F250 SUPERDUTY EXTRACAB XLT 4X4

DIESEL, auto, loaded, 80K

Only \$17,995

05 FORD F150 SUPERCREW LARIAT 4X4

5.4L, leather, power roof

Only \$19,995

04 CHEVY COLORADO CREW CAB LS 4X4 Z71

Auto, loaded, new tires, 40K

Only \$16,995

02 DODGE RAM 1500 QUAD CAB SLT 4X4

V8 auto, loaded

Only \$7,995

04 FORD F250 SUPERDUTY CREW CAB LARIAT 4X4

V8 auto, leather, power roof, cap

Only \$17,995

04 FORD F250 SUPERDUTY CREW CAB XLT 4X4

DIESEL, FX4, auto, loaded, factory warranty

Only \$23,995

Complete listing including photos of cars, trucks, & SUVs at www.rrrautosales.com



Auto Sales

www.rrrautosales.com
for a complete inventory
of vehicles for sale,
includes photos and
prices



REPAIR FACILITY

372 HUTTLESTON AVE., FAIRHAVEN, MA • (508) 997-0423 - (508) 997-0573

TIRED OF BEING RIPPED OFF SERVICING YOUR VEHICLE?

Before Servicing anywhere else, call us!

Nobody beats our prices on repairs... **GUARANTEED!**

We will beat any written estimate by a minimum of 10%

- Brake Special: New Front or Rear Brakes,
including Installation \$69.⁹⁵ **NO HIDDEN COSTS!**
- Oil & Filter Change \$19.⁹⁵ **NO HIDDEN COSTS!**
- Auto Diagnostics * Tune-ups * Exhaust
- Transmission Rebuilds on Most Vehicles \$1250-\$1750
- Auto Glass Done in Your Driveway
or Ours! Direct Insurance Billing.



MA STATE INSPECTION
STATION

EXPIRES

2

2009

MA INSPECTION No. 36657 STATION

***20 YEARS IN BUSINESS...**
FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED
***HONEST PEOPLE...**
CHARGING HONEST PRICES

DIESEL & HEAVY DUTY